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THE MINERS' CONVENTION WILL RESCIND THE RYAN RESOLUTION; PATRICK DOLAN WINS IN CONTEST MADE TO UNSEAT HIM AS DELEGATE

NEWS SUMMARY

DOMESTIC.

Two score lives lost in Denver & Rio Grande passenger collision, caused by operator neglecting to deliver orders.—Page 2.

The annual report of the United States Steel Corporation showed gross earnings were $565,831,708 and net earnings $118,787,658.—Page 2.

Three firemen were killed and nine injured while fighting fire in Camden, N. J.—Page 2.

Speaker Cannon's fight against the senate on the statehood bill will result in defeat for him, it is predicted.—Page 5.

President announces that no immediate appointment to the U. S. Supreme court will be made and, if Secretary Taft declines, may appoint Solicitor General Hoyt on recommendation of Senator Knox.—Page 5.

Gov. Pattison's illness is cause of prisoner dying in penitentiary while his freedom papers were ready for signature.—Page 1.

The Miners' national convention will recind the "Ryan" resolution today and clear the way for the operators to make concessions for the districts. Hard fight was made to have former District President Patrick Dolan of Pittsburgh expelled from the convention.—Page 1.

FOREIGN.

Daughter of Gen. Izmaillovich was cursed, beaten, kicked and spit upon by Russian police.—Page 8.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Slav miner at Punxsutawney became unconscious after making information against Black Hand gang.—Page 1.

LOCAL.

Captain recruited crew from police station but all refused the work he offered.—Page 3.

Crowd at orchestra concert indicated that soloists are not the chief attraction.—Page 3.

Corporations committee approved ordinance repealing franchise of Duquesne Light Company.—Page 6.

City was assessed to pay nearly two-thirds of the whole cost of Sixth avenue widening.—Page 6.

Judge McClung warned remonstrants that no attention will be paid to communications outside regular channel—the clerk of courts office.—Page 8.

Obituaries, death notices and the marriage licenses issued yesterday.—Page 6.

Dates were announced for Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio usual $10 excursions to Atlantic City this season; will be doomed by 2-cent rate in Pennsylvania.—Page 16.

Director Bigelow failed in second attempt to pass a trolley bill in select. Another meeting called for Monday night.—Page 1.

SPORTING.

New men on the Pittsburgh baseball team are making a good impression.—Page 9.

National bowling tournament will begin at Louisville today.—Page 9.

Angry mob at New Orleans threatened to lynch a jockey for crooked riding.—Page 9.

Close games were played in the Allegheny County league.—Page 9.

FINANCIAL.

New York stocks remained inactive and closed at small net changes. Mining stocks contributed the bulk of the business on the Pittsburgh exchange. Decreased shipments of wheat from Argentina and increased exports of flour made market strong.—Pages 14, 15 and 16.

THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair and warmer today and tomorrow is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 32 degrees and the minimum 22 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:29 a. m. and set cloudy at 6:27 p. m. The daily weather report, furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Comparative temperature and precipitation for March 16:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	32	66	Mean	27	50
Minimum	22	30	Precipitation	.05	T.
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.		36	Nor. precip. 31 yrs.		.09
Dfcy. for day		6	Dfcy. for day		.03
Dfcy. since Mch. 1		85	Exc. since Mch. 1		.29
Exc. since Jan. 1		82	Dfcy. since Jan. 1		2.55

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and Ohio—Fair and somewhat warmer Saturday and Sunday; fresh west winds.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Peoria	14	Clear	St. Louis	22	Cloudy
Omaha	12	Clear	Springf'd, Ill.	18	Clear
Buffalo	22	Clear	Spokane	26	Cloudy
Cleveland	22	Clear	Chicago	18	Clear
Oklahoma	28	Clear	Des Moines	14	Clear
Amarillo	20	Snow	Dubuque	16	Clear
Abilene	28	Cloudy	Washington	36	Clear
Cairo	26	Cloudy	Davenport	18	Clear
Wichita	18	Cloudy	Grand Haven	18	Snow
Concordia	12	Clear	Parkersburg	28	Snow
Nashville	32	Cloudy	Grand Rapids	16	Snow
Louisville	26	Cloudy	Cincinnati	26	PtCldy
Memphis	34	PtCldy	Indianapolis	18	Clear
El Paso	24	Clear	Philadelphia	36	Clear
Atlanta	38	Cloudy	New York	34	Cloudy
Galveston	68	Clear	Kansas City	18	Clear
Norfolk	28	Clear	Springf'd, Mo.	20	Snow
Duluth	10	Clear	Palestine	38	Rain
Marquette	12	Clear	San Antonio	42	Cloudy
Madison	24	Clear	Chattanooga	34	Cloudy
Bismarck	14	Clear	Little Rock	36	Cloudy
Helena	36	Clear	Fort Smith	32	Cloudy
Havre	20	Cloudy	New Orleans	60	Cloudy
St. Paul	16	Clear	Montgomery	48	Clear
Huron	12	PtCldy	Baltimore	38	Cloudy
Cheyenne	6	Clear	Shreveport	40	Cloudy
Lander	6	Clear	Jacksonville	70	Clear
Denver	10	PtCldy	Yellowstone	2	Clear
Salt Lake	26	PtCldy	Mid. Junction	34	Cloudy
Modena	18	Cloudy	Los Angeles	56	Cloudy
Pueblo	16	PtCld.	Boston	22	PtCldy

Observations taken at 8 a. m.

Has the Svengali Lost His Grip?

WILL NOT ACCEPT FROM TRICKSTER, SAYS JOHN EATON

Considers Col. A. J. Logan Has Been Discourteous to Him and President Burchfield.

"No, sir! I will not accept anything from those tricksters!" declared former President John Eaton of the chamber of commerce last night, when asked if he would accept membership on the committee on trades and commerce, upon which he was appointed by the chamber of commerce yesterday afternoon. This is the only committee upon which Mr. Eaton was appointed, and the chairmanship of the committee was given to J. C. Alrich.

"I consider the appointment of those committees by Mr. Logan a greater piece of discourtesy than is imaginable," continued Mr. Eaton. "It was the most disrespectful and inconsiderate action against Mr. Burchfield, the new president, that could have been perpetrated. Mr. Burchfield will return to the city early in April, and instead of waiting for him Mr. Logan rushes through these appointments in his absence. No, sir! I won't accept anything from those people, and I will have a statement to issue early in the week, which will give further particulars pertaining to the situation."

GOO GOO EYES GO TO JAIL.

Hard Labor Is the Portion of a Jersey City Boy Who Has Flirtatious Tendencies.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—Because he persisted in standing on the rear platform of a Hoboken car and making eyes at a pretty girl who occupied a seat on the inside, John Eackstadt, of Jersey City, was sentenced by Judge Higgins in the first criminal court of Jersey City today to 60 days at hard labor.

The following dialogue took place between Judge Higgins and Eckstadt:

"Did you make goo goo eyes at this girl?"

"I did, and it is nobody's business but my own."

"Sixty days in the county jail, and let this be a lesson to other boys."

"I'm a native of Jersey City, born and bred there. There will be ——to pay when I get out and I'll settle you."

YALE STUDENT A HERO.

Risks His Life to Stop Runaway and is Cheered by Crowd of Medical Men.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 16.—(Special.)—Arthur Ruickoldt, a medical student in Yale university, at the risk of life and limb, stopped a runaway horse today and saved from harm a man who was in the wagon. He had lost the reins and seemed paralyzed with fear.

Ruickoldt grabbed the shaft and drew himself up to the bridle and checked the horse. The man in the wagon was nervously profuse with thanks. Ruickoldt was cheered by a crowd of students who witnessed his work.

MRS. VIRGINIA K. PATTERSON ADJUDGED INSANE BY COURT

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Virginia Knox Patterson, who was taken to Bellevue 10 days ago, suffering from dipsomania, was today removed to the private sanitarium of Dr. Charles F. MacDonald in Pleasantville, West Chester county. She had been declared insane by Dr. Gregory, the Bellevue alienist, and was committed to the sanitarium by Justice Fitzgerald of the supreme court. Mrs. Patterson was taken from the hospital without trouble, as she was not violent.

OLDEST WOMAN CELEBRATES HER BIRTHDAY AND WILL DANCE AT AGE OF 108

MRS. MARY M'KITTRICK.

UNIONTOWN, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—The oldest person in Western Pennsylvania is Mary McKittrick, an Irish woman of near Uniontown, who celebrates her 108th birthday on St. Patrick's day tomorrow.

She is to have a birthday party tomorrow night, at which she expects to dance with her guests, as she did last St. Patrick's day. This old lady has many visitors at her home, and she never tires of conversation. Most of the life of Mrs. McKittrick was spent in Ireland and she came to America at the age of 92 years. She is the mother of 10 children, two of whom live in America. Lawrence McKittrick of the East End, Pittsburgh, is a son.

CROWD SEES MAN KILLED.

Roofer Falls from Church Roof and Is Dashed to Death on Sidewalk Before People.

NEW YORK, March 16.—A desperate but ineffectual struggle against death was witnessed today by more than a score of persons who stood helpless in front of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal church. Walter Cathie, a roofer, aged 60, was the victim of the tragedy. He was at work on the roof of the church when he lost his footing and fell, rolling swiftly down the incline. At the edge he managed to grasp a gutter, which runs along the eaves, and his fall was arrested.

For full three minutes Cathie clutched the gutter, vainly trying to pull himself back to safety. Finally his hold weakened and he fell to the sidewalk. He struck on his head and was instantly killed.

BABE'S 15 MINUTES IN SNOW DOES NOT INJURE ITS HEALTH

PHILADELPHIA, March 16.—(Special.)—A male child, born to Mrs. Hanna Force, a negress of New Brunswick, N. J., on an express train yesterday, fell from a car to the elevated structure of the Pennsylvania railroad and lay in the snow 15 minutes but since being sent to the Hahnemann hospital was found to be in a healthy and normal state and was surrendered to the care of its mother.

SORELY STRICKEN AFTER TELLING OF BLACK HAND GANG

Slav Miner Asks for Arrest of Alleged Leaders of Band, Then Becomes Unconscious.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., March 16.—George Slovlan, a miner of Florence mines near here, came to Punxsutawney this afternoon to swear out a warrant for Mike Hoffeny, whom, he claims, is the leader of a Black Hand gang.

While in Justice Corey's office he complained of being ill. Constable William Baughman was summoned to go with Slovlan to Florence to serve the warrant, but the plaintiff became so seriously ill that he could not make the trip.

Slovlan talks good English and before becoming unconscious stated to Baughman and a physician that the Black Hand was after his money. He told of a gang, one of whom was a woman, who enticed him into a building and demanded $250, and when he refused they said he would kill him. Slovlan broke away, however, and managed to get to a street car, on which he came to Punxsutawney.

When searched Slovlan was found to have $160 in his possession and a valuable watch and chain. The victim was given quarters in the lock-up. He is in a critical condition and gives every evidence of having been poisoned.

CLAIMS SCENE WAS STOLEN.

Clara Lipman Mann Values Part of Fritzi Scheff's First Act at $25,000.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—Clara Lipman Mann, the actress and playwright, has sued Charles B. Dillingham, the theatrical manager, for $25,000 because, as alleged, he without authority appropriated a scene from the play of "Julie Bonbon" and incorporated it in "Mme. Modiste," written for Fritzi Scheff.

Miss Mann asserts she submitted her dramatic composition "Julie Bonbon" to the defendant. She says the play was returned to her with the explanation that the schedule was overcrowded. Dillingham, it is alleged, then secured one Blossom to write a play for Fritzi Scheff, and instructed Blossom to incorporate in the first act a scene from "Julie Bonbon."

STRETCH NINE MEN.

Applicants for City Positions Put Through Course to Bring Them Up to Requirements.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., March 16.—(Special.)—Nine candidates for appointments in the police and fire departments at the recent examinations here were stretched about an inch to enable them to attain the standard physical height. Several of the men would have been deficient in height about an inch, but for the elongation secured artifically.

The men were given sitting-up exercises for a week or 10 days and were practiced at suspending themselves from horizontal bars by the hands, with the stomach well drawn in. They were taught to wiggle their shoulders while thus suspended and meanwhile to stretch their toes and heels alternately.

Parrot Starves Itself to Death.

DERBY, CONN., March 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. John Sweeney of New London died 10 days ago. Her pet parrot thereupon refused to eat and died today of starvation.

Pet Poodle Holds Up a Train.

DERBY, CONN., March 16.—(Special.)—A poodle held up a train an hour today on the high trestle between this city and Huntington, by scampering about in front of the engine.

CHEATED OF VICTORY BY WIGHTMAN

Bigelow Again Fails in Desperate Struggle to Pass Trolley Bill.

CHEERS FROM LOBBY

Demonstration as President of Select Takes Snap Judgment and Adjourns Meeting.

SESSION CALLED FOR MONDAY

For the first time in many months Pittsburgh's select council chamber rang with cheers last night. The cheers came when President J. Smiley Wightman rapped his gavel loudly and said: "Quorum not present, council stands adjourned." "Hurrah, hurrah," shouted the lobby.

As President Wightman stepped quickly from his desk and the meeting broke up cheers rang out in the lobby again. This popular demonstration announced Director Bigelow's second failure to ram through select council the East End trolley franchise. The second failure was due to the promptness of President Wightman in adjourning the meeting before a quorum could be found.

Eighteen members answered the roll call, two less than a quorum. At the moment the president declared the meeting adjourned there were 14 other members in the corridor outside and several were making their way to the council chamber. A quick motion to take a recess might have saved the day for Bigelow and got him the two needed votes. Five minutes after Wightman played his trump card Janitor Jim Jack was out with a petition to call a meeting for Monday night and soon had enough signatures.

Next Trial Decisive.

The third trial is expected to be decisive. There was a general plan on the part of the opposition last night to prevent a quorum, but it would not have succeeded except for the aid given by some of the members who voted for Bigelow's bill the night before. Five members who voted with Bigelow Thursday night were outside of the council chamber when President Wightman took snap judgment.

Some unseen power besides public opinion seemed to be working last night. It was said some promises had not been kept and that the recipients of these promises were like the gentleman from Missouri, they demanded that they be shown first.

The following 15 members answered the roll call: Atkinson, Barry, Casserly, Fichtel, Friedman, Gallagher, Hawkins, Hermes, Kearns, Wm. McKelvey, Man-

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FREED BY DEATH WHILE HIS PARDON IS READY TO SIGN

Gov. Pattison's Illness Results in Mother Working in Vain for Liberty of Her Son.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, O., March 16.—The protracted illness of Gov. Pattison today developed its pathetic side, a prisoner dying of tuberculosis in the penitentiary because the state executive was too ill to sign papers giving the freedom which the board of managers had decided should be his.

For weeks the mother of Edward Vansburg has been haunting the state house in an earnest effort to have her son released, that he might go home with her to the little cottage in Trumbull county.

The physicians had said the boy could live but a few weeks unless he was liberated, and four weeks ago Warden Gould and the physicians of the penitentiary recommended to the governor that the young convict be pardoned. Then the board of managers commuted his sentence.

The mother repeatedly called at the executive office, but could not reach the governor. He was too ill, and though the case was one of life and death, he could not be seen, Secretary Houck told her. The commutation was never signed.

The mother promised to return when the governor got better. But her boy turned his face to the cheerless stone wall, grew worse, and this morning died.

The boy was sent up in May, 1904, from Trumbull county for horse stealing.

Charles M. Schwab Now Has Grip.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—Charles M. Schwab is ill with the grip at his home in Riverside drive. Mr. Schwab, who has suffered a great deal, was allowed to sit up yesterday for the first time since his return home. His condition, however, occasions no alarm.

LOSS OF HER LOCKS CAUSES GIRL TO GO INTO A DELIRIUM

Suffering from Pneumonia Ruth Feathers Is Victim of Strange and Brutal Attack.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LATROBE, PA., March 16.—In the heighth of a delirium and begging piteously for mercy, 12-year-old Ruth Feathers is lying at her home here in a critical condition as the result of an assault by an unknown man while the child was suffering from pneumonia. The child, who is the daughter of Frank Feathers, is sick of pneumonia, and last evening occupied an upstairs room, alone, the rest of the family being downstairs.

She was suddenly awakened by a man grasping her hair and roughly jerking her head to one side. Amid her screams he clipped off one braid with a pair of shears. The child's screams attracted the rest of the family and the man dashed down the back stairs, hotly pursued by the girl's father.

In his flight the man dropped the lock of hair on the front porch of the home. Mr. Feather lost sight of the man and notified the Latrobe police, but no trace of him could be found. His object is a mystery, and it is not known how he got into the house. The child may not survive her experience.

Snowball Fight Ends in an Injury.

WASHINGTON, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—In a snowball battle today between freshmen and juniors at Washington and Jefferson college, Harry Alexander of Washington, a junior, was struck in the eye with a snowball. Bits of glass from his broken spectacles were driven into his eyeball and it is feared he will lose his sight.

Jews Are Ordered to Leave.

VLADIVOSTOK, March 16.—The Jews here have been ordered to leave the city in three days.

At Conference Between Chairman Robbins and President Mitchell of Miners the Way Out of Trouble Is at Last Found.

SITUATION IS STILL CRITICAL

The Action of the Miners' Convention Is Up to the Operators Meeting Which Will Be Held on Monday—The Ohio Workers Stand Firm for Advance in Wages Asked by Last Convention.

HURLEY IS PITTSBURGH'S NEW LEADER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., March 16.—Chairman F. L. Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and President John Mitchell of the miners' organization held two conferences here today, in an effort to find a way out of the seriously complicated labor situation. Neither would discuss what had taken place, but from an authentic source it is learned it has been arranged to have rescinded the now famous "Ryan" resolution, which has been a bugbear to the entire coal industry and those dependent upon it. The Ryan resolution, frequently misquoted, is in exact text as follows:

"That this convention indorse the action of the scale committee in refusing to accept or recommend the acceptance of the proposition submitted by the operators and that no contract be signed in any district until we all get a settlement or go down in defeat."

In this conference with Robbins the miners were amazed and disgruntled when they discovered that W. H. Haskins, who retires as president of the Ohio miners April 1, having been defeated for re-election, was called in by President Mitchell. Subsequent to this the most interesting of the day's developments and probably in sequence was a caucus of the Ohio miners' delegation.

T. L. LEWIS,

Vice president of the Mine Workers, who is taking an active part in the proceedings of the convention.

Mitchell's Action Indorsed.

The convention indorsed the action of the executive board in sustaining the finding of President John Mitchell in ousting Patrick Dolan and Urlah Bellingham from the presidency and the vice presidency of District No. 5 of Western Pennsylvania. As far as the national organization is concerned, that is the end of Dolan's case.

Only the pleas of President Mitchell and of Secretary W. D. Wilson prevented the expulsion of Dolan from the organization. Dolan was seated as a delegate in the convention, as was Bellingham. The two actions followed immediately on the partial report of the credential committee, which included the names of Bellingham and Dolan as delegates. President H. C. Perry of Illinois district jumped to his feet as the secretary of the credential committee ceased reading, and said:

"I move to accept the report except in so far as Mr. Dolan and Mr. Bellingham's names are concerned, and that they be stricken out."

Secretary Wilson asked if, under this motion, if carried, Dolan's case would come up for separate consideration by the convention, and was told that it would. A motion to accept the report as read prevailed. Delegate James J. Haskell then moved that Dolan be declared not seated by the convention. Secretary Wilson said earnestly:

Able Defense of Dolan.

"I am opposed to this motion. Patrick Dolan, as president of District No. 5, was tried by his district and removed from the district presidency, and this action has been confirmed by the national president, but this action does not exclude him from membership in this organization. In taking this position I am not seeking either to support or condemn Mr. Dolan's action in the last convention. I know he violated his instructions in voting for the proposition of the operators. But I say you are establishing a false precedent if you take this action. You are placing him in the position of a martyr and he could go before the people and claim you have violated the laws of this organization. You can no more afford to violate the laws than he can. Seat him as a delegate and deal with him afterward for his previous action."

President Mitchell said: "No one man in this convention has greater cause for resentment against Patrick Dolan than I; no one man in this convention has been more grossly wronged by him than I have. But I hope I am big enough to forget personal wrongs when the laws of the United Mine Workers of America are called into question. I say with Secretary Wilson that you will make a mistake if you refuse to seat Mr. Dolan. I have no desire to sustain his action in the convention, but whether he does justice to me or not, I will do justice to him. I want to appeal to you in the name of your laws to vote down this motion."

A "Don't Care" Delegate.

Delegate Walker of Illinois inquired whether it would be violation of the laws of the organization to hang Dolan. President Mitchell suggested that this statement might be differently construed when read in cold type. Walker replied: "I don't care how it is construed."

"The organization cares," replied President Mitchell.

Vice President Lewis made an emphatic protest against Delegate Walker's language. On a vote the motion to unseat Dolan was lost, and by a subsequent action the language of Walker was stricken from the record.

The Ohio caucus was arranged by Chris Evans, who bears credentials as an Ohio delegate and is the miners' statistician and who is regarded as a personal representative of Mitchell and Haskins. It sounded like an innocent proposal of Haskins' when he suggested to this delegation that he, being a member of the scale committee, desired to know the delegates' attitude on wage scale concessions on the eve of opening new negotiations with the operators. Vice President T. L. Lewis of the national organization of the miners, who was present, declared that the Ohio miners are pledged to the scale of the last national

convention which makes its basic demand an increase of 10c per cent in wages, and that that demand must be adhered to. If the Ohio miners retreached at such a meeting, the onus of a backdown would be attributed to them if the miners enter a compromise settlement. The result was that no action was taken.

The resolutions committee is in session tonight and will report to the miners' convention tomorrow, when the Ryan resolution will be repealed. While the situation remains a most critical one with the Ryan resolution out of the way it will be comparatively easy for a practical split on the interstate agreement here and district settlements, which would clear the way for the Pittsburgh Coal Company and others so disposed to make concessions and continue at work after the first of April.

Up to the Operators.

Chairman Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company said to your correspondent today:

"We have never committed ourselves to any peace proposition. The issues are up to the operators' conference on Monday."

Mr. Robbins arrived this morning with W. W. Keeler and Walter J. Phillips of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. John W. Roan, general superintendent of the Sunday Creek company of Ohio, and controlling large West Virginia opertions, is here and has been in conference with miners' leaders. The Sunday Creek and allied concerns are regarded as J. Pierpont Morgan interests.

Incident to caucuses it has developed that John Hurley, the candidate for the office of secretary-treasurer of the Pittsburgh miners, has the natural capabilities that practically insure his heritage of leadership there. The Pittsburgh delegates friendly to President Dolan are laughing over the report from Pittsburgh of the arrest for drunkenness of Delegate James Watchorn, who was a floor leader of Dolan's opponents at the recent Pittsburgh convention, and who was defeated as a delegate to this convention by his own local, while the anti-Dolan followers are eaten with chagrin. It is a case of one little drunk being magnified into almost an issue in this situation.

Illinois delegates of the miners are here to ask the national organization to appropriate $20,000 for the defense of Moyer, Haywood, Pettibone and others, charged with the death of Gov. Steunenberg of Idaho. This may be squashed in the resolutions committee, but its champions are very much in earnest and it will precipitate a hot scene on the floor of the convention, if brought out. While stubbornly fought by W. D. Ryan, the Illinois miners' leader, the recent convention of Illinois miners voted $5,000 for the defense of these men.

Report of Scale Committee.

Mitchell announced the following resolutions committee: W. R. Farley, W. D. Ryan, George W. Hartlin, W. McPherson, James Cantwell, J. H. Kennedy, S. S. Brackney, William Green, J. P. Gallagher, W. W. White and Frank Feehan.

The scale committee made the following report: "Whereas, the President of the United States has requested President Mitchell to make another effort to avert a strike of the coal miners of the country; and, whereas, President Mitchell has called a convention as per request of the President of the United States; therefore, be it resolved, that we heartily indorse the policy and action of President Mitchell in this manner and now hold ourselves in readiness to meet our employers for the purpose of endeavoring to effect a satisfactory settlement of the wage question. Wellington O'Connor, chairman; John P. White, secretary."

The report of the scale committee was adopted. James Blee offered an amendment to provide for a specific scale, but this was defeated. A resolution offered by John Starley providing for a run of mine basis in all districts was referred to the resolutions committee.

STATE LEAGUE MEETS.

Republican Clubmen Are to Gather Here Today to Fix Date for Convention.

The executive committee of the Pennsylvania State League of Republican clubs will meet at the Tariff club this morning. The meeting has been called to fix the time and place for the holding of the state convention. Philadelphia will be chosen. The meeting will be attended by club men from all over the state.

In the evening the Americus club will entertain the visitors at a musicale and smoker. An address will be made by J. Hampton Moore of Philadelphia, president of the national league.

STATE MAKES PROVISION FOR FIGHTING EPIDEMIC

Dr. Leonard Pearson, state veterinarian, held a conference with Allegheny county veterinaries in Hotel Henry yesterday afternoon, to discuss the epidemic of glanders now prevailing among horses and mules in this vicinity. Arrangements were made for the prompt destruction of all animals suffering from the disease, and methods of disinfecting stables were agreed upon. The disease is incurable. It is believed to have been spread here by the transportation of green horses from the west to this market.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

BELASCO—Henry E. Dixey in "The Man on the Box," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

NIXON—Viola Allen in "The Toast of the Town," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—"Peggy from Paris," with Arthur Deagon, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GRAND—Continuous vaudeville bill of 12 acts, headed by Eva Taylor and Hugh J. Ward, in "The Circus Rider," 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

GAYETY—"The Jersey Lillies," extravaganza, burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Confessions of a Wife," 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Big Hearted Jim," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Broadway Gaiety Girls, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating, with music afternoon and evening. Western Pennsylvania championship races tonight.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Permanent collection paintings and metropolitan bronzes, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Pittsburgh Orchestra, Emil Paur, conductor, last concert of the season, 2:15 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Last Saturday night free organ recital of Carnegie institute's 11th season. Organist, Wilhelm Middleschulte, of Chicago, invitation of the trustees, 8 p. m.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, March 16.

New York—Utonia, from Palermo; Armenia, from Liverpool; Bordeaux, from Havre; Weimar, from Naples.

Glasgow—Astoria, from New York.

London—Philadelphian, from Boston.

Liverpool—Corinthian, from St. John, N. B., and Halifax.

New Castle, N. S. W.—Elleric, from Portland, Ore.

Dover—Kronprinzessin Cecilie, from Hamburg for Havana and Vera Cruz.

Genoa—Brasile from New York via Naples.

Copenhagen—Hellig Olav, from New York via Christianzand.

Bremen—Californian, from New Orleans via London; Mississippi, from New Orleans.

Manchester—Iberian, from Boston.

Glasgow—Hungarian, from Portland.

Barbados—Prinzessin Victoria Luise, from New York (on West Indies cruise).

Sailed, March 16.

Moville—Parisian, from Liverpool for Halifax and St. John, N. B.

Yokohama—Empress of Japan, from Hongkong via Woosung, Nagasaki and Kobe, for Victoria and Vancouver, B. C.

Naples—Citta di Milano, for New York.

London—Setos, for San Francisco.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
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OVER 30 LIVES ARE CRUSHED OUT

Flames Prevent Identification of Some Victims of Denver & Rio Grande Wreck.

PASSENGER TRAINS COLLIDE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PUEBLO, COL., March 16.—Thirty-five lives were crushed out early today in headend collision of two passenger trains near Adobe, Col., on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad, and nearly a score of the victims were incinerated, several beyond identification, by a fire that destroyed the wrecked coaches. Over 20 were injured, but all will probably recover.

The wreck was due to undelivered orders, heavy mountain grades, a blinding snowstorm, a sharp curve and the slippery condition of the rails. Only the locomotives, baggage and day coaches were wrecked, the sleeping cars escaping almost unscathed, as in the Eden disaster on the same road, in 1904, when part of a train ran into a flooded canon through a washout bridge.

Many of the dead were homeseekers bound for the northwest. The three crushed locomotives set fire to the splintered coaches and it was hours before all the bodies were recovered, the flames being so hot that rescuers could not approach the debris until the fuel burned out.

It was a wild, stormy night in the mountain canons when the two heavy trains met. Blinding snow darkened the rocky gorges and speed was not high. Suddenly headlights flashed out, and it was realized by the engineers that something was wrong. According to Fireman J. H. Smith of the westbound train, Engineer Walter Cosiett applied the emergency brake, but the slippery rails allowed the momentum of the heavy train to carry it on the fatal crash.

Flames Ran Through Debris.

Hardly had the noise of the wreck ceased when a sheet of fire run through the shattered cars of both trains.

In the forward coach of the westbound train every seat was occupied by passengers, most of whom were homeseekers. A number of the foreigners were among them and in their terror they gave up life without making any attempt to reach safety outside the burning car. They sank to the floor of the car and were roasted alive. The cooler ones in the car, seeing their danger, rushed for the windows and doors, and with the aid of the passengers in the rear of the train and those members of the train crew who were unhurt managed to reach the open air.

A list of dead made up from close investigation by responsible persons follows: William Hollis, engineer; Walter Cessiett, engineer; H. D. Sudduth, fireman; Edward E. Baird, deputy sheriff, Denver; Archibald Whitney, prisoner in charge of Baird; Mrs. William Burnside, daughter, and daughter's child, all of Kansas; A. N. Barido, Calida, Col.; Miss Grace Bargio, Salida, Col.; Enos McFarland, express messenger; Taylor Hewitt, Lebo, Kan.; Mrs. William Hewitt, Lebo, Kan.; Pearl Hewitt, Lebo, Kan.; Mrs. Catherine Hewitt and baby boy, Lebo, Kan.; Edward Cowley, Lebo, Kan.; Mrs. Edward Cowley, Lebo, Kan.; Frederick Jones, Lebo, Kan.; Frederick Lemrooley, Denver; Mrs. Winona Hewitt, Lebo, Kan.

The seriously injured were: Patrick Murphy, Florence, Col.; P. Peters, baggageman; James Proconone, immigrant; Miss Mabel Fields, E. A. Hewitt, Lebo, Kan.; C. C. Kissel, New York; A. Gerber, New York; C. N. Wright, New York; J. N. Lotton, Bellflower, Mo.

The Utah and California express, westbound, left Pueblo an hour and a half late, with orders to meet the Colorado and New Mexico express, eastbound, at Florence. This order was changed, and the westbound train was directed to pass the eastbound train at Beaver, about 12 miles east of Florence. The order should have been delivered to the train crew at Swallow, but for some reason the operator there neglected to deliver the order. In the meantime the eastbound train had received its orders and expected to meet the westbound train at Beaver. No other orders intervened to prevent the wreck.

S. F. Lively, night operator at Swallows, whose alleged failure to deliver orders to the eastbound train is said to have caused the wreck, was relieved from duty tonight until the cause of the wreck is thoroughly investigated.

Many Bodies Were Cremated.

It is impossible to determine the exact number of dead on account of the incineration of many bodies. The number of victims burned is said to be at least 20. The railroad officers asserted during the day that only 15 persons were killed.

The monetary damage to railroad property is $300,000. In addition to this much baggage and mail were destroyed.

One of the pathetic tragedies of the disaster was the wiping out of all but two of the family of Taylor Hewitt of Lebo, Kan. Father, mother, daughter, grandchild and the wives of the sons are missing. The two sons, E. A. Hewitt and W. L. Hewitt are among the injured in the hospital here, each of them having leg fractures in addition to other injuries. E. A. Hewitt said that he had a dream several months ago, in which his family was all killed. He said he saw just as plainly as he later saw the real wreck, everything that took place after the collision.

FLEE BEFORE FLOOD.

Residents of Laton, Cal., Have Moved and Water Is Sweeping Away Bridges.

FRESNO, CAL., March 16.—A storm of unprecedented severity has been raging for sixty hours and the region between the San Joaquin and Kings rivers is threatened with the greatest flood in years. The fall of snow in the mountains exceeds all records.

Telephone advices from Pine Ridge, which lie at an altitude of 5,000 feet, say 12 feet of snow have fallen and at the summit of the mountains the depth is 21 feet.

After a night of terror, the 600 people of Laton, on Kings river, this morning moved in a body to the grade of the Santa Fe railway. The levees about Laton are six feet high, but they are overflowing. Numerous bridges are washing out in the Northern colonies. Both the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific report numerous washouts and train service demoralized.

WAR VETERANS MEET.

Old Soldiers of Allegheny to Further Interests of Comrades.

The War Veterans' Republican club of Allegheny met last night in Republican headquarters, North Diamond street. Chairman William T. Bradberry presided. George L. Rudolph and Andrew D. Armstrong were elected delegates to the State League of Republican Clubs convention.

Reese Evans, an old soldier, was indorsed for the position of wharfmaster to succeed Henry Hauser, and it was decided to hold meetings every Friday night until Charles F. Kirschler takes the office of mayor, the intention being to further the interests of the veterans who are seeking positions under the incoming administration.

PRESBYTERIANS ADOPT ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 16.—Today's sessions of the federation conference of Presbyterian churches were devoted to debate on the articles of agreement and with some slight changes they were finally adopted by a rising vote. The articles become operative as soon as two more of the churches interested shall have ratified them through their governing bodies. The conference adjourned sine die.

Plenty of Time to Buy Gazettes.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—Regarding the announcement that news stands would be open Sunday for but 15 minutes after the arrivals of trains with Sunday Gazettes, W. J. Dougherty says the stand will be open from 12 m. until 2:15 p. m. and from 7 until 8 p. m. This will afford all an opportunity to get The Sunday Gazette with its great half-tone illustrated section.

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THREE FIREMEN KILLED AND NINE ARE INJURED

While Fighting Flames in Camden, N. J., Roof of Armory Falls on the Men.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CAMDEN, N. J., March 16.—Three firemen were killed and nine others seriously injured tonight at a fire which destroyed the old Sixth regiment armory in this city. The dead are Geo. W. Shields, Wm. Hillman, Wm. Jobes.

The fire started in the boiler room of the armory building and quickly spread to all parts of the structure. A dozen firemen were ordered into the burning building with a line of hose, and were making good progress in fighting the flames when they were warned by Fireman Harry Iesse that the roof was giving way. Before the men could heed the warning the great expanse of roof fell, burying Dease and the others under it. Shields, Hillman and Jobes were crushed to death, but the others managed to follow the line of hose and escaped after most of them had been seriously lacerated and burned.

A general alarm was sounded and, after a great effort, the flames were confined to the armory, which was entirely destroyed. About 20 houses surrounding the armory were scorched. Recently the structure was purchased by the West Jersey & Seashore Railroad Company to make way for improvements along its line. The total loss is estimated at between $50,000 and $75,000.

COLUMBIA ALUMNI ORGANIZE.

Form Permanent Association at Well Attended Meeting and Plan for First Annual Dinner.

To keep up their college associations and further the interests of their Alma Mater, Pittsburgh alumni of Columbia university met last night at the Union club, Frick building, and formed a permanent organization. State Chemist Frederick, '81, presided, and an address on the university was made by Rudolph Tombo, Jr., registrar and assistant professor of German language and literature. The name of the Columbia Alumni Association of Pittsburgh was adopted and the following officers were elected:

President, George B. Singer, '80; vice presidents, Charles A. Painter, '84, W. A. Bostwick, '98; secretary-treasurer, H. P. Tiemann, '90; executive committee, (one year) Dr. J. P. Shaw, '90; (two years), James M. Clark, '87; (three years), Dr. Richard B. Faulkner, '75. A congratulatory telegram was received from President Murray Butler and a response was sent. The university has about 75 graduates in this vicinity and it is proposed to hold the first annual dinner some time in April or May.

FUN FOR BACHELORS.

Graduate Nurses Are Raffled at Entertainment Given by Alumni Association of Allegheny General Hospital.

The Nurses' Alumni association of the Allegheny General hospital had an entertainment last night in Waldorf hall, Sandusky street, Allegheny, at which a large audience laughed at the humorous program presented. The young women on the entertainment committee were in funny masquerade costumes and their original dialogue was most amusing.

A feature of the affair was a raffle of old maids. This lottery was entered into by a large number of eligible bachelors, for none of the fair ones who sacrificed themselves to this money making device was in reality at all old. The lucky men were entitled to the companionship of the young lady he won for the rest of the evening. Many of the men purchased large numbers of chances in the raffle, and some of them found themselves so fortunate as to have two or more young nurses to entertain during the evening.

The event was held to raise funds to endow a bed in the hospital for sick nurses, and it was very successful.

NEGRO SHOOTS POLICEMAN.

Former Convict Causes Panic Among 50 People in New York Restaurant.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Eli Lucas, a negro ex-convict, who served a 20-year sentence in Kentucky for murder, tonight shot Roundsman John Walsh and Patrolman James Scott, and John Jones, manager of the Crescent cafe, in which the fight occurred. Scott was shot in the right shoulder. He will probably be paralyzed for life. Jones received a bullet in the right shoulder, and Walsh was shot in the right hip.

Fifteen shots were fired. The 50 patrons of the place sought safety behind the bar, under tables and behind barricades of chairs. Lucas, still shooting, backed out of the place and escaped.

Lucas was arrested late tonight after a fight. Before he was subdued he had exchanged shot for shot with two detectives. There was a running fight for nearly a block. When Lucas was brought back to a police station he was battered and bloody from head to foot, and his clothes were nearly all torn off him.

AMERICUS ORATORS CHOSEN.

Secretary Moody, Representatives McCleary and Watson, and Senator Knox to Speak at Banquet.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—(Special.)—The galaxy of speakers for the Americus club banquet on April 27 is now complete. S. J. Wainwright, Jr., president of the club, and William Ramsey were here today and obtained a promise from Representative McCleary of Minnesota to speak. Mr. McCleary is one of the prominent members of the house and he is the leading advocate of tariff revision, believing that it should be revised upward. Other speakers who will be present are Representative Watson, Republican whip of the house, and a brilliant orator, and Attorney General Moody.

Senator P. C. Knox will act as toastmaster and will make a short address, although he will not prepare a set speech.

FIND M'COY NOT GUILTY.

Beaver County Farmer Is Not Convicted of Murdering His Brother.

BEAVER, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—Robert McCoy was found not guilty of the murder of his brother, Hugh McCoy, by the jury this morning after a four-day trial. When the verdict was announced the large audience cheered and clapped hands. A similar scene was never witnessed in a Beaver court room before.

As the aged defendant heard the verdict he smiled and said: "Thank God, the ordeal is over. I knew they would not convict me, but the strain has been terrible, terrible." Immediately he was surrounded by a hundred people, all wanting to shake hands with him. The verdict was reached at 1 o'clock this morning, but was not read until court convened this morning.

END PUBLIC HEARINGS.

New York Insurance Committee Almost Ready to Prepare Report for Legislature.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 16.—The joint special committee of the New York state legislature, which, since last September has been investigating life insurance in this state, today formally closed its public hearings on the bills embodying its recommendations for the amendment of the insurance law, the corporation law, the legislative law and the penal code.

A sub-committee will meet in New York probably most of next week, with Charles E. Hughes, counsel of the committee, and all of the bills will be gone over. The net result will be presented to the full committee next week.

Armed Crowd Kills Mad Dog.

A white bull terrier, frothing at the mouth, threw the population of Carnegie into a fit of terror yesterday morning. Armed with a Winchester rifle and a revolver, Police Chief George Foster and Justice A. W. McMillen pursued the dog through the streets, pouring into him several volleys of lead. The canine, after making several tours of the town, sought refuge in the yard of his owner, Louis Baker, in First avenue, where he was surrounded by a large posse and shot to death.

GREAT YEAR FOR BIG CORPORATION

Annual Report of U. S. Steel Shows Gross Earnings Were $585,331,736 in 1905.

PAYS $128,052,955 IN WAGES

Report at a Glance

	1905.	1904.
Gross earnings	$ 585,331,736	$ 444,895,439
Net earnings	119,787,655	74,196,321
Surplus for year	17,065,515	5,047,852
Total surplus	84,783,470	69,313,794
Cash in bank	58,955,914	60,046,426
Wages paid	128,052,955	99,778,276
Number of employes	150,758	147,243
Capital issued	$868,588,600	$868,252,600
Total bonded debt	570,472,264	571,731,341
Total assets	1,857,811,267	1,821,614,068
Ore mined, tons	43,435,536	35,502,031
Pig iron output, tons	10,112,148	7,369,421
Steel rail output, tons	1,427,035	1,242,845
Finished steel, tons	9,226,386	6,792,780

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, March 16.

Figures of the annual report of the United States Steel Corporation for the fiscal year ended December 31 last, shows the return of prosperity from the lean period in 1904. The totals presented in the annual report claim attention as indicating the great size of the corporation and its enormous earning power. Gross earnings were $585,331,736, the banner year in its history, but the net receipts were smaller than in 1902, owing to the lower prices of the finished materials.

The report, which is signed by E. H. Gary, chairman, and William E. Corey, president, contains a vast amount of statistics bearing upon expenditures for additional property and for payment of capital liabilities. The bonded debt and the various securities canceled, together with sinking fund accounts, are fully explained. The document contains comprehensive data bearing upon all matters of interest in the account of the great corporation.

Net earnings for the year closed were $119,787,655, as compared with $73,176,321 in the previous year. The total undivided surplus December 30 was $84,738,450. It is figured that the working capital of the corporation last year was approximately $200,000,000 without including bonds in the treasury authorized, amounting to more than $30,000,000.

The report shows that since the formation of the corporation the company earned net $311,837,770. Dividends aggregating $191,553,128 were paid on all classes of stock. Out of the apparent surplus of $128,141,158, there was spent $53,827,564 for construction, contemplated improvements and depreciation. The production table shows that the company mines coal, produces coke, makes Portland cement, sells copperas and spelter, in addition to making all kinds of steel and iron. It operates 100 steam vessels on the great lakes, and manages more than 1,000 miles of railroad in different parts of the country. In one line—that of steel rails—it did a business of $48,500,000 in the last 12 months.

In producing 18,000,000 tons of iron ore, 9,000,000 tons of finished steel, and 10,000,000 tons of pig iron, operating its vessels, railroads and plants, the company spent last year $440,000,000. To carry on its operations in all departments the services of 180,158 men were employed. To these men the wages of $128,052,955 were paid. These figures demonstrate that the corporation is the largest employer of labor in the world, and aside from the interest which the 180,000 men have in the corporation, there are 75,000 people who are interested in its success or failure by reason of the fact that they own stock in the corporation.

On every page of the report figures are given which, when placed in comparison with the reports of other corporations, make the latter enterprizes look pigmy. Expenditures chargeable to property account in 1905, according to the report, equaled the sum of $24,336,468. Since its formation the corporation has expended on that account $106,388,000. Its inventory account, including goods in process of manufacture December 30 last, amounted to $318,387,997.

"THE DAY WE CELEBRATE."

No Parade in Honor of St. Patrick, but Hibernians Will Devote Money to Building Fund.

Wear the green!

The 17th of March—"the day we celebrate"—is here, and every heart that beats in sympathy with Ireland is full of joy. While there will be no parade today, the branches of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will hold dances and other forms of entertainment today to swell the proposed $600,000 fund for the erection of a building for the order in the central section of the city.

Division 31 will give an entertainment in the Forbes street Turner hall tonight, which will include a one-act comedy entitled, "Barney Looking for a Job." Braddock division will give an Irish minstrel show in Carnegie hall, Braddock, tonight. Ephiphany division will hold a complimentary musicale in Lyceum hall, Washington street, this evening. Homestead and McKeesport divisions have arranged elaborate programs, while Allegheny division will entertain in St. Peter's hall, North Diamond street, tonight. Dr. W. J. Croyen will deliver an address at the latter place.

HERR MOST NEAR DEATH.

Leader of Anarchists Is Seriously Ill in Cincinnati With Chances Against Recovery.

CINCINNATI, O., March 16.—(Special.)—Herr Most, the American leader of the anarchists, was reported in an extremely serious condition tonight at the home of Adolph Kraus, in Cutter street. It was rumored this afternoon that he had fallen into a delirious condition, indicating the approach of dissolution.

Dr. Joseph Meitus stated this evening that he has not given up hope that Most may recover, although the chances are nearly all against him. Most is suffering from erysipelas, his face and scalp being involved.

SNOWBALLING IS SERIOUS.

Results in Death of One Man and Serious Injury to Another.

Snowballing was indirectly the cause of one death and the means leading to a serious injury in this vicinity within the past two days. Marke Katrich of 4813 Harrison avenue, an Austrian, was engaged in a snowball battle near his home yesterday, when one of a number of foreigners fired two shots and Katrich was shot in the thigh. He was taken to St. Francis hospital.

The police of McKeesport are searching for two boys who pelted John Yomolik with snowballs near the Center street crossing of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in that place Thursday evening. Yomolik held his hands over his face to evade the snowballs and was struck by a train and killed.

Arrest Indian Outlaws' Relatives.

VINITA, I. T., March 16.—Deputy Marshals A. G. Long and Charles Wheat arrived tonight with Jim Wickliffe and Louis Wickliffe, uncles of the Wickliffe brothers, Indian outlaws, and two other Cherokee prisoners. No trace of the Wickliffe brothers has been discovered. Both uncles denied any knowledge of the fugitives.

Moravia Postmaster Resigns.

MORAVIA, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—R. M. Leshe, postmaster of this place, has resigned, and no one has been appointed to fill the vacancy. He made many friends while in office and was considered the right man in the right place.

Confirm Kermit Roosevelt.

GROTON, MAS., March 16.—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt attended today the confirmation service at the Groton school. It is expected that she will leave tomorrow for Washington. Kermit Roosevelt, who is a student at the school, was among those confirmed.

BURNED PARDEE HALL, NOW ON TRIAL AGAIN

Stephens, the Pennsylvania Incendiary, Is Charged With Counterfeiting.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

TAMPA, FLA., March 16.—George H. Stephens, on trial in the federal court here on the charge of making and circulating counterfeit half dollars, confessed to day that he served five years and ten months in the penitentiary for burning Pardee Hall of Lafayette college in Easton, Pa.

Stephens declared he confessed that crime, although he was innocent, to shield the real culprit who, he asserted, was a professor in the college at that time.

Stephens said he had been professor of logic and history at Lafayette and was a graduate of Princeton. The alleged counterfeiting operations were carried on at Pine Castle, a rural community, this state, where he has been living the life of a recluse.

Stephens explained his possession of counterfeit coins and formulas for making them by declaring he was preparing to write a book on penology.

CHEATED OUT OF VICTORY

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lon, Schneider, Uperman, Walters, Weber, West, Zollinger, Wightman.

Fourteen members in the corridor were: Burns, Cavett, Costello, Frederick, Hogue, Howarth, Lang, Lennox, W. H. McKelvy, Schempp, Sweeney, Toole, Stewart, Kenna.

Bigelow Orders Third Call.

Director Bigelow gave orders for a call for a meeting on Monday night and disappeared. The members who signed the call are Atkinson, Cavett, Hogue, Lennox, Wm. McKelvey, Manion, Schempp, Schnaider, Toole, Upperman, Walters, Weber, Zollinger, Stewart.

Delegations from the chamber of commerce and the Pittsburgh board of trade were at the city hall to present arguments in favor of compensation for the franchise. W. H. Stevenson, Oliver McClintock, Col. A. J. Logan and others represented the chamber of commerce. T. B. Moreland and other property owners from Sheridan, Collins and Jackson avenues were on hand to object to the franchise on any terms.

It has been definitely ascertained that there is no trolley franchise for Stanton avenue to Highland park. The franchise was granted the Brereton Street Railway company in March 1904. It was one of the franchises granted the Verner syndicate and was limited to two years. It expired this month and in offering to give up the franchise in return for the proposed new line in Jackson street the Pittsburgh Railways Company is offering something it does not possess.

MEETS SUDDEN DEATH.

Dump Car Falls on a Workman at Bigham Tunnell, Crushing Out His Life.

Arthur Larkin Murray, aged 31, rear of 31 Independence street, a driver for J. T. Fox, contractor, West End, was crushed to death yesterday afternoon by a dump cart falling on him at the construction of the Bigham tunnel.

Peter Anderson of Braddock was run over by a passenger train on the B. & O. railroad at Braddock yesterday afternoon, dying last night at the Passavant hospital.

Mrs. Mary Martin of 47 Ella street, Wilkinsburg, died from heart disease last night.

Mrs. Catherine Stewart, aged 63, of 607 California avenue, followed her son George to the porch yesterday morning to bid him good-by as she was leaving for work. As he started from the house the son heard her gasp, and, turning, saw his mother lying on the porch. He carried her into the house and summoned a physician but she died in a few minutes. In addition to the son she is survived by a daughter, Nellie.

NO VACANCY FOR PITTSBURGH.

Congressman Burke Finds That Setting Back of Gwynn at Annapolis Makes No New Places.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—(Special.)—H. M. Gwynn, a cadet at the Annapolis Naval academy, has failed in his examinations and has been set back one year to the class of 1909. Gwynn was appointed in 1901 by Representative H. K. Porter from Pittsburgh, having gone there from the District of Columbia and acquired a legal residence.

Representative Burke called at the navy department today to ascertain if Gwynn's failure would create a vacancy, in which event he intended to appoint a Pittsburgh boy to the place, but in view of the fact that Gwynn will be set back only one year, no action will be taken in the matter by Mr. Burke.

JEROME AND M'CLELLAN NOW SPEAK AS THEY PASS BY

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—District Attorney Jerome appeared before the board of estimate and apportionment today and asked for an appropriation of $10,000 to aid him in his investigation of insurance matters. The appropriation was granted. When Mr. Jerome appeared before the board Mayor McClellan shook hands with him for the first time in three years.

Engineer Dies After Being Rescued.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., March 16.—(Special.)—An engine attached to a freight train, on the West Virginia short line near New Martinsville, struck a landslide about 3 o'clock this morning and was overturned, pinning the engineer, George Wanko of Parkersburg, under the engine. After nine hours' work he was rescued and found to be alive. On the way to the hospital he died. No one else was hurt in the wreck.

Four Die in Hotel Fire.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., March 16.—The business portion of the village of Tustin, Osceola county, was destroyed today by fire, which started in the basement of the Hotel Compton from a defective furnace. Four guests were burned to death. The dead are: William H. McGrane, proprietor of the hotel; Mrs. William H. McGrane, Edward Demorest, porter; Charles Workman, traveling man of Pierson. The loss is about $22,000.

Gas Asphyxiates Man and Wife.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16.—Thomas Taylor and his wife Nellie, members of a well-to-do family of Clifton Heights, near this city, were accidentally asphyxiated by gas during last night in their home at that place. The couple not having been seen during the day, neighbors forced an entrance into the house this afternoon and found them dead in bed.

To Hold Next Session in Pittsburgh.

HARRISBURG, March 16.—The superior court adjourned today to meet at Pittsburgh on April 9. Justice Henderson handed down opinions on the following cases: Insolvent case of Rittenhouse, C. P., Columbia, affirmed; Thornton vs. Meyers, C. P., Luzerne, reversed.

Explosion Hurls Twenty People.

PARIS, March 16.—Twenty persons were injured tonight by an explosion in a chemical factory in the Rue Vielle du Temple. The damage to the property is estimated at $200,000.

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GRANT ADVANCE OF CENT AN HOUR

Street Car Men Are Offered Compromise Increase and Strike Will Be Avoided.

GIVEN HALF OF THEIR DEMAND

What threatened to become a serious strike has probably been avoided by the offer made by the Pittsburgh Railways Company late last night to the men in their employ offering 1 cent an hour advance to all men employed on cars in the service of the company. The advance is the first granted in three years.

At 1 o'clock this morning about 500 of the 700 men in the service gathered in Arnfield hall, Penn avenue, to consider the proposition made by the company, and a meeting of the night men will be held shortly to pass on the matter. As reported some time ago in The Gazette the street railway men made a demand for an increase of 2 cents an hour. The present wage rate for conductors and motormen is 22 cents an hour for the first six months; 23 cents for the second six months, and 24 cents an hour for those in service more than one year.

While the result of the early hour conference this morning could not be ascertained at the time of going to press, many of the men gave voice to the opinion that the compromise offered by the company would no doubt be accepted.

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Men's	90c	Rubbers	69c

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Eruption Broke Out in Spots All Over Body—Caused a Continual Itching for Two Years—Doctor's Medicine Did no Good—Cured at Expense of only $1.25 and Now

THANKS CUTICURA FOR COMPLETE CURE

"Some time ago I wrote you for a book on the Cuticura Remedies and received it O. K. and went and bought the Soap, Ointment, and Pills. They did me more good than any medicine I ever used. They cured me of my skin disease, and I am very thankful to you. My trouble was eruption of the skin, which broke out in spots all over my body, and caused a continual itching which nearly drove me wild at times. I got medicine of a doctor, but it did not cure me, and when I saw in a paper your ad., I sent to you for the Cuticura book and I studied my case in it. I then went to the drug store and bought one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment, and one vial of Cuticura Pills. From the first application I received relief. I used the first set and two extra cakes of Cuticura Soap, and was completely cured. I had suffered for two years, and I again thank Cuticura for my cure. If you wish, you may publish this. Your friend forever, Claude N. Johnson, Maple Grove Farm, R. F. D. 2, Walnut Kan., June 15, 1905."

ITCH! ITCH! ITCH!

Scratch! Scratch! Scratch! This is the condition of thousands of skin-tortured men, women, and children, who may be instantly relieved and speedily cured by warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle applications of Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, and mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, when physicians and all else fail.

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap, 25c., Ointment, 50c., Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), may be had of all druggists. A single set often cures. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

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FINDS HIS CREW IN COZY CELLS

Captain Wants to Give Them All a Job, but They Beg Off on Various Pretexts.

WHAT HAPPENED OUTSIDE

The Central police station was crowded with lodgers last night, and most of them were rivermen. A well-known river captain, desiring to muster a crew to get out on the high water last night, went to the station house to get some recruits. In one cell were five rivermen or roustabouts. Capt. Thomas McCabe took the river captain to this cell.

"Do you fellows want work?" asked McCabe.

"What doing?" inquired one lodger, who was sitting in a dark corner of the cell reading a newspaper.

"To go down the river on a coal float," replied McCabe.

"I have poor eyesight," replied the lodger, continuing to read the fine print of his newspaper in the dark corner of the cell.

"How about you?" asked McCabe to a large, burly man.

"Oh, my ankle is weak and I can't run over the coal floats," answered the lodger.

"I know you want to work, said McCabe to another lodger.

"What boat is it?" asked the lodger.

"Why, the O'Neil," answered McCabe.

"No, that boat burns too much coal and you have to push a wheelbarrow on the whole trip, answered the lodger.

"I will get you a crew," said McCabe to the river captain.

McCabe selected 10 lodgers whom he knew to be rivermen and ordered them to go with the captain.

McCabe's crew left the station house with the captain, but when they got outside the building they told the captain what they thought of him in strong language for disturbing their night's rest, and then left him and went to the Penn avenue station house where they secured a night's lodging.

Later the river captain met McCabe on the street and said:

"McCabe your crew are all deserters."

FAMOUS IAN M'CLAREN TO BE A PITTSBURGHER

Dr. John Watson to Lecture at the Western Theological Seminary for a Year.

If arrangements now under way are completed, the Rev. Dr. John Watson of Liverpool, England, whose writings under the name of "Ian M'Claren" have won him a secure place in literature, will come to this country to remain a year as lecturer extraordinary in the Western Theological seminary. The Rev. Dr. David Greeg, president of the institution, has been corresponding with Dr. Watson on the matter and the latter has expressed himself as willing to come, provided some church may be secured where he may preach for the year.

On behalf of the First Presbyterian church of Uniontown, J. V. Thompson, the millionaire coal operator, and a leading member of the congregation, has taken up with the idea. This church has been vacant for about a year, since the resignation of the Rev. Dr. Asa S. Milholland after his pastorate of a quarter of a century. Since that time candidates from all parts of the country have been heard, but no selection has yet been made. The church enrolls many of the oldest and wealthiest families of Uniontown and is abundantly able to pay an exceptionally high salary.

Dr. Gregg stated yesterday that Dr. Watson was not planning to come to America until next year. Dr. Watson is known chiefly for his "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush," but he has written many other delightful stories of Scotch life and character.

"UNCLE" JOHN WARD IS DEAD.

Close of Eventful Career of Widely-Known Ex-Slave Employed in United States Court.

After only a brief illness "Uncle" John Ward, ex-slave, veteran of the civil war, and since 1892 messenger for the judges in the United States district court, died yesterday morning at his home at Sewickley. He was known to every attorney.

Born in slavery in Virginia, Ward grew to manhood without being able to read or write, but after years of patient effort he overcome this difficulty and at the time of his death was considered one of the best educated negroes in the country. He had more than a local reputation as a lecturer and evangelist among his race. When the war broke out he tried repeatedly to escape, but it was not until the conflict was about half over that he succeeded in reaching the federal lines and joined the army. He served until the close, was awarded a pension after being discharged and was a member of the Union Veteran legion. He was appointed messenger in the United States court in 1892, succeeding Joseph G. Hilton, who became demented and shot himself.

In Sewickley, where Ward had lived for many years, he was a favorite among both the white and colored population. "Aunt" Jennie, his aged wife, was killed by the cars about three years ago. About a year afterward he married a young colored woman who cared for him during his last illness. He was a deacon in the A. M. E. Zion church and was an evangelist exhorter of great power. Other members of his race looked up to him as a leader and consulted him on all legal and religious questions.

NOTICE TO QUIT.

Six County Clerks Will Retire on April 1.

Clerk of Courts Dodds has given notice to the following clerks that their services will not be needed after April 1: William A. McDevitt, clerk of criminal court, and Counter Clerks A. O. Pfaff, J. J. O'Donnell, John F. Lawlor, A. B. Seifheimer and Patrick A. McMann. The appointees will be announced later.

FLOWERS FOR PAUR ON CLOSING NIGHT

Audience Shows Its Appreciation and Players Greet Him With Fanfare.

SEASON ENDS WITH TODAY

By CHARLES N. BOYD.

The last evening concert of the Pittsburgh orchestra's eleventh season took place at Carnegie Music hall last evening. The audience was the largest of the season, something especially gratifying in view of the fact that there was no soloist.

Enthusiasm ran high throughout the evening. Mr. Paur was presented with flowers and when he appeared on the stage for thhe second half of the program the players greeted him with a fanfare. The usual custom of leaving before the last number was not observed last night.

The program was more popular than those of any of the so-called "popular" concerts. At least two of the numbers may be counted among the universal favorites, the "Pathetic" symphony of Tschaikowsky and the "Tannhaeuser" overture. Added to these were the Siegfried Idyl and one of the best-known Beethoven overtures, "Egmont."

It would not be fair to include Richard Strauss' "Till Eulenspiegel" in this list, for many more hearings than the few so far afforded this city will be necessary before the public will be able to appreciate the beauties and the pranks contained in this kaleidescopic work; nor the entr' act from Chabrier's "Gwendoline," which is almost an absolute novelty, though of comparatively slight texture.

On account of its size, the symphony claims first attention. It has long been regarded as one of Mr. Paur's favorites, and one of those works which he presents to the very best advantage. Last night was no disappointment. While details were not disregarded, Mr. Paur was more concerned with the larger outlines of the work, and these were presented in a manner which has never been excelled by the Pittsburgh orchestra. A more impressive performance is seldom heard. The tremendously difficult Strauss number was done with surprising freedom, and almost every player, in the wood-wind and brass sections of the orchestra, had a chance to distinguish himself.

The same program will be repeated this afternoon at 2:15, and with this performance the work of the orchestra will cease until next fall. The first concerts of next season will be given on Thursday evening, November 1 (Founder's Day), and Saturday afternoon, November 3.

STANDING COMMITTEES ARE NAMED BY DIRECTORS

New Slate is Made and Approved by Chamber of Commerce Officials and Resolutions Passed.

At the adjourned meeting of the chamber of commerce directors yesterday afternoon Oliver McClintock, chairman of the committee appointed to suggest standing committees, made his report, which was approved, and the suggested appointments made by Vice President A. J. Logan, who was in the chair. In almost every instance the leaders in the recent "insurrection" movement were given chairmanships, while Former President John Eaton was given but one appointment—membership on the committee on trades and commerce.

During the meeting a resolution was adopted declaring that the city should be given just remuneration when corporations are granted franchises. A resolution was also adopted providing for members of the board of directors to go before councils to present the views of the chamber on the Duquesne street railway franchise, now before that body. A meeting of the municipal affairs committee will be held this afternoon to discuss this matter.

The appointments made by Chairman Logan are as follows:

Executive: Chairman, A. J. Logan, John Bindley, Robert Pitcairn, H. D. W. English, W. B. Rodgers; trade of commerce, chairman, J. C. Aldrich, John Bindley, John Eaton, Marcus Rauh, J. W. Marsh, Wm. Campbell, H. J. Heinz; rivers and harbors, chairman, W. B. Rodgers, H. K. Porter, Jas. A. Henderson, John H. Ricketson, Jr., Taylor Allderdice, John E. Shaw, Charles A. Wolfe; finance and banking, chairman, R. B. Mellon, Calvin Wells, W. H. Kennedy, D. P. Black, John B. Jackson, Geo. A. Kelly, Jr., Marcus Aaron; education, chairman, Lee S. Smith, W. J. Holland, H. P. Bope, Wm. M. Hall, Jr., W. L. Scaife; membership, chairman, J. E. Ash, Samuel W. Black, H. P. Pears, J. B. Barbour, Jr., A. M. Hanauer; transportation and railroads, chairman, Wm. H. Stevenson, Robert Pitcairn, John H. Jones, Robert Finney, F. R. Babcock, D. C. Ripley, D. C. Shaw; legislative, chairman, Jas. W. Kinnear, chas. H. West, W. A. Magee, Jr., John M. Goehring, J. C. Dight, Wm. Metcalf, Jr., Willis L. King; municipal affairs, chairman, H. D. W. English, Wm. L. Jones, A. J. Logan, W. H. Stevenson, R. P. Mellon, Oliver McClintock, R. H. Boggs.

RECOMMEND NEW BUREAU.

Roenigk's Scheme to Organize Department of Revenue Collection Endorsed by Two Members.

The Roenigk special committee, or two members of it, voted yesterday to recommend to councils the creation of a bureau for the collection of miscellaneous revenues. John Taylor, the other member present, voted against the measure. The scheme to establish a new bureau to collect city revenues belongs to Mr. Roenigk, who is said to be a candidate for the position of superintendent at $4,500 a year. An ordinance for the bureau is pending in councils. Besides the position of superintendent, it provides for an assistant superintendent at $2,500 a year and a stenographer at $1,200.

An Art.

In dressing fine fowls, we have in our employ the highest priced men in the country. McCann & Co., 413-415 Market st.

WHOSE SAY-SO IS BEST?

With nearly all medicines put up for sale through druggists, one has to take the maker's say-so alone and exclusively as to their curative value. Of course, such testimony is not that of a disinterested party and accordingly is not to be given the same credit as if written from disinterested motives. Dr. Pierce's medicines, however, form a single and therefore striking exception to this rule. Their claims to the confidence of invalids does not rest solely upon their owners' and makers' say-so or praise. Their ingredients are matters of public knowledge, being printed on each separate bottle wrapper. Thus invalid sufferers are taken into Dr. Pierce's full confidence. Scores of leading medical men have written enough to fill volumes in praise of the curative value of the several ingredients entering into these well-known medicines. Amongst these writers we find such medical lights as Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College, Chicago; Prof. Hale of the same city; Prof. Jno. M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati, O.; Prof. Jno. King, M. D., late of Cincinnati, O.; Dr. Grover Coe of New York; Dr. Bartholow and scores of others equally eminent.

The writings of these have been for the various medical journals and for publication in standard medical books for professional reading and instruction, and hence are the more valuable as they relate to Dr. Pierce's medicines, since the writers did not know that they were indorsing and recommending articles that enter into the composition of these medicines and had no personal interest whatever therein. Hence, their great value as indorsements.

A brief synopsis of a small part only of these extensive writings, which apply to the several ingredients entering into Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—the world-famed remedy for weak stomach, or dyspepsia, torpid or congested liver, biliousness, ulceration of stomach and bowels and kindred ailments—has been compiled for publication in book form. These extracts also treat of the several ingredients entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, over-worked, "run-down," debilitated, nervous women, who find in it a priceless boon.

Send your name and address by postal card or letter, with request for this little book to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and it will be mailed free to your address. From it you will learn why "Golden Medical Discovery" cures catarrh of the nasal passages, even though of years' standing. It is a most potent constitutional remedy for this terribly common and generally unsuccessfully treated malady. The cure will be facilitated if Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy be employed to cleanse out the nasal passages at the same time that the "Discovery" is employed for the constitutional treatment.

The "Discovery" is equally efficient in the cure of catarrh of the stomach and bowels, and in cases of ulceration of these organs. Read what Drs. King, Scudder, Grover Coe and others say of the curative properties of Golden Seal root and of Stone root in cases of the above diseases. Both these roots are important ingredients of "Golden Medical Discovery." From the writing of these same authors you will learn why the "Golden Medical Discovery" cures chronic, or lingering ailments of the throat and bronchia attended with hoarseness, cough, soreness and kindred symptoms. Several of the ingredients in the "Golden Medical Discovery" are highly recommended for their specific, curative effects in laryngitis, or "Speakers' sore throat," as well as in incipient consumption and obstinate, lingering coughs, which, if neglected or badly treated, are apt to end in consumption.

From the same little book you may learn why Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures the worst cases of female weakness, prolapsus, anti-version and retro-version and corrects irregularities, cures painful periods, dries up disagreeable and weakening drains, sometimes known as pelvic catarrh, and why inflammation of the ovaries and a multitude of other diseases peculiar to women, readily yield to its marvelous curative potency. Bear in mind, it is not a patent nor even a secret medicine, but the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated physician of large experience in the cure of woman's peculiar ailments, who frankly and cheerfully takes his patients into his full confidence by telling them just what his "Prescription" is composed of. Of no other medicine put up for woman's special maladies and sold through druggists, can it be said that the maker is not afraid to deal this frankly, openly and honorably, by letting every patient using the same know exactly what she is taking.

That every ingredient entering into Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has the indorsement of the leading medical writers of the age amply attests its harmless character as well as its sterling curative value. Send your address for the little book and read what some of the most eminent medical men of this century say of the curative properties combined in the several ingredients which go to make up Dr. Pierce's leading medicines. No other medicines are backed up by such marvelous, disinterested, professional indorsements. This one fact is worth more and should have more weight in determining whether these non-secret medicines, or some secret compounds without professional indorsement and with only the makers' praise to recommend them, are best and most likely to effect important cures.

In favor of Dr. Pierce's medicines is the frank, confiding, open statement of their full composition, giving every ingredient in plain English, without fear of successful criticism and with confidence that the good sense of the afflicted will lead them to appreciate this honorable manner of confiding to them what they are taking into their stomach when making use of these medicines.

Dr. Pierce's medicines are made from harmless but efficient medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. The Indians knew of the marvelous curative value of some of these roots and imparted that knowledge to some of the friendlier whites, and gradually some of the more progressive physicians came to test and use them, and ever since they have grown in favor by reason of their superior curative virtues and their safe and harmless qualities. The little free book mentioned in the preceding column will tell you all about the properties and uses of these most valuable medicinal roots. Send for it now.

Your druggists sells the "Favorite Prescription" and also that famous alterative, blood purifier and stomach tonic, the "Golden Medical Discovery." Write to Dr. Pierce about your case. He is an experienced physician and will treat your case as confidential and without charge for correspondence. Address him at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., of which he is chief consulting physician.

It is as easy to be well as ill—and much more comfortable. Constipation is the cause of many forms of illness. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, two a mild cathartic. All dealers in medicines sell them.

Dr. Pierce's 1,000-page illustrated book, "The Common Sense Medical Adviser," is sent free in paper covers on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing only. For 31 stamps the cloth-bound volume will be sent. It was formerly sold for $1.50 per copy. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa., March 16, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of common council of the city of Allegheny, on the 15th day of March, 1906, and was referred to committee on public works.

ROBERT DILWORTH,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading of Cherry street, Eleventh ward, from California avenue to Fleming avenue, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the grading of Cherry street, Eleventh ward, from California avenue to Fleming avenue, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

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JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Saturday, March 17, '06 | *WEATHER—Fair.* | Penn Ave. and Fifth St.

And This Is What They Said.

Easter Cards.
Easter Postal Cards.
Easter Novelties.
Easter Books.

The Book and Stationery Sections—Aisle No. 5—invite inspection of the first showing of this season's Easter specialties.

Prices begin at 1c and get up among a good many dollars.

About 5:20 Thursday evening two ladies came into our store—two ladies formerly of das Vaterland—and asked for the Silk Waist Section. On arriving there, it was not long, counting by minutes, until one of them had bought an $8.50 waist.

"We've been all over this blessed town this afternoon, and Allegheny, too, looking for silk waists. We could not find anything to suit us."

"Why did you put off, so late, coming here?"

"Well," said one of the ladies, "we have always heard that Horne's was such a dear place. That's the reason. It's the first time we've ever been here, but it will not be the last. We have found more variety in silk waists, new styles for Spring, than in all the other stores put together. And as for being high-priced, that's a huge joke. No one wants to talk about Horne's being dear to us again."

A good illustration of the proverb "Live and learn."

Perhaps the reader may entertain the same idea about Horne's. We would be glad to have you visit us and let us disabuse any such notions regarding high prices.

As we are on the subject of silk waists we may as well call attention to some that we think are pretty nice for the prices charged.

At $3.75—New Spring models in Silk Waists, represented by all colors, as well as black.

At $5.00—10 different styles of short sleeve and long sleeve black silk waists.

At $5.00—White Silk Waists—China Silk—6 different styles—long and short sleeves.

At $5.00—6 different styles in handsome White Lace Waists and Net Waists.

At $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $9.75 and $10.00 we have different grades of Taffeta and China Silk Waists and Crepe, Net and Lace Waists, in black, white and all colors.

A Trio of Men's Belongings.

The undermentioned belongings ought to nail the attention of men for a moment or two, and if they will think of the matter today when down town we would be pleased to have them call and examine the shirts and the socks and the stuffs to make shirts.

Announcement, Paris Shirts.

The Smartest Shirts That America Gets, and Shown Here Only.

Newest Features.

These shirts combine to a remarkable degree cleverness of construction with thought and artistic design.

Certain parts of the needlework have been done by hand. Money could not reproduce the same work in this country.

The Colorings are of a different kind—something unmistakably foreign about the shirts the minute you look at them. Not many of a kind, in fact, in some styles there is only one shirt of a size and pattern.

It is really worth while putting off something else to see these shirts.

$2.00 to $4.00 each.

Paris Socks for Men.

The "Different" Kind Found Only at Horne's.

To whom it may concern, and it concerns only those who like the best. The first shipment of French socks is here.

Regular customers have been asking for them.

No fancy hosiery of any manufacture compares with French goods.

These shown today are exclusive patterns, shown only by us.

The shipment comprises black and colored lisle with hand-embroidered figures in colors.

A great variety of dignified, dainty patterns, as well as the other kind.

Price $1.50 a pair.

Custom Shirts.

Made in a Custom Way.

We are making shirts to order in the shirt-to-order-way—and this is not an "Irish bull," either.

There are entirely too many so-called custom shirts turned out nowadays that have never been dignified with anything better than ready-made methods.

Shirtmaking done OUR way takes time and pains, and is the result of carefully weighed judgment, not snapped diagnosis.

Order your shirts now while the variety is unimpaired.

If you're a busy man, use the telephone—we'll be with you in a jiffy.

Prices range, $2.00, $2.50 to $5.00.

Take Home a Fern Ball.

In three or four weeks you will thank us for handing you the suggestion. As nice a decorative plant for the house as we know of. These Japanese Fern Balls require neither pot nor soil. They live upon air and water. For hanging anywhere about the house they are particularly admirable.

In the East Basement, today 35c.

A Letting Down of Prices on Women's Stockings.

We've quite a lot of stockings that have accumulated from big lines that have been sold down to where a few numbers remain. There are fleece lined stockings in regular and out sizes, also black and brown Balbriggan stockings. Today we say half.

50c Stockings marked at 25c.

35c Stockings marked at 18c.

25c Stockings marked at 12½c.

Women's $1.50 grade of Stockings, mixture of silk and wool, all with double spliced feet, today $1.00 a pair.

Women's Stockings, mixed gray cashmere, best yarn, today 25c a pair.

Women's Cashmere Stockings, all with reinforced feet, black only, today 50c a pair.

Half Prices for Toys.

All the Christmas amusements of the tots gone? Well, well, that's too bad. Come down to the East Basement today and get the youngsters of your family something to keep them in good humor while they are housed up this weather.

Table of dolls, handsome ones, regular prices from 25c up to $5.00, choose at just half.

All Fur Animals, regular prices 25c to $10.00, are marked at one-half.

A lot of Stores and Houses, fine goods that were low priced at $1.00 and up to $10.00, are now marked one-third of those prices.

Fancy Needlework Ideas.

Latest notions in entire sets, in boudoir belongings, for Spring and Summer. Complete sets to match, made of art cretonnes, artistic designs, and in such colors as green, blue, pink, yellow, lavender and red shadings.

Dresser Scarfs, Stand Covers, Handy Bags, Handkerchiefs, Collar and Cuff Bags, Work Bags, Picture Frames and Portfolios, ranging in price from 25c up to $1.60.

Something novel and serviceable for bedroom, are these sets; Scarfs, Laundry Bags, Stand Covers, Pillow Slips. These are made of white union linen, fine grade, finished on edge with a wire hem and a row of stitching inside hem. Beautiful braided designs, in corners, of white cord. $1.75 value, our price $1.00.

Women's $3.00 Umbrellas Today $2.00.

A Saturday suggestion for women. All pure black silk taffeta umbrellas, very close roll, case, tassel, hardwood princess handles, cheap at $3.00, our price today, $2.00.

Tourist or Suit Case Umbrellas, both for men and women, fit into any 24-inch dress suit case. The best combination on the market, $3.50 and $5.00 each.

Bon Ton and Royal Worcester Corsets.

In the Corset Section, second floor, East, complete lines of both the Bon Ton and the Royal Worcester Corsets will be found.

Bon Ton Corsets for the short, stout figure, $4.00, White Batiste.

Bon Ton Corsets for the long waist figure, $4.00. Batiste and broche, with supporters attached.

Bon Ton Corsets for the slight figure, with short hip, $3.50. Silk brocade.

Bon Ton Corsets for the slight figure, preferring long hips, $3.50. Silk brocade with supporters.

Bon Ton Corsets, high bust, medium length hip, $2.50.

Royal Worcester Corsets, straight front, admirable for the average long waist figure, $1.00. Dip hip, with supporters—white, drab, black.

Royal Worcester Corsets, dip hip, $1.50. White only.

Royal Worcester Corsets, for short figures, low bust, dip hip, $2.00.

Moving Out Women's Winter Coats.

At $7.50 Women Can Choose Coats from Groups That Formerly Sold for $15.00, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00

Candidly, seven dollars and a half wouldn't pay for the cloth in some of the coats. This is what might be called taking the "Big Stick" to these coats.

They are all practical coats for Spring, and among them are raincoats, a garment that is good company every day in the year.

To get down to real news we may say that this lot includes full-length raincoats in several different styles of black venetian waterproof and tan cravenette; also three-quarter and seven-eighth length coats of fine tan covert. Some are tight-fitting garments and others loose. Some have yoke and others half linings of taffeta and satin.

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Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa., March 16, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of common council of the city of Allegheny, on the 15th day of March, 1906, and was referred to committee on public works.

ROBERT DILWORTH,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading, paving and curbing of Broadway, Fifteenth ward, from Munden's west line to Covert's east line, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted

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by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the grading, paving and curbing of Broadway, Fifteenth ward, from Munden's west line to Covert's east line, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor

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according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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Saturday, March 17, 1906.

Real estate men who are making out new leases to expire May 1, 1907, declare the change in moving day will be effected without the slightest friction or confusion. Tenants are glad to co-operate with landlords in the needed reform and the approaching moving day will be the last under the old custom of changing one's abode in April. The bringing about of this reform is a striking illustration of what live newspapers can accomplish by appealing to the common sense of the people.

Failure on the part of somebody to deliver orders is assigned as the cause of the harrowing disaster on the Denver & Rio Grande railroad near Adobe, Colorado, yesterday. The railroads are constantly adding to their equipment devices for the prevention of accidents and the protection of passengers, but there is always the "human equation" to be taken into consideration. A moment's neglect on the part of an employe sets all the safety devices at naught. The old story was repeated yesterday. "Somebody blundered."

Students and faculty of the Carnegie Technical schools are in agreement on the subject of athletics and it is stated a strict amateur standard of sport is to be maintained. This is in line with the new policy of American colleges which has been brought about, in great measure, by the students themselves. Carnegie school students will not play football, it is said, and the decision is doubtless a wise one, for there are still important reforms to be introduced in the game before it can be considered an ideal exercise for young men.

Delegates to the conference at Algeciras are reported "wearied" and "impatient" at the failure of the French and Germans to come to a definite agreement. Their feelings are shared by many others. Hopes were expressed yesterday that the French would accept England's advice and agree to a modified form of the Austrian police project, providing for a foreign inspector generalship of the Moroccan police without command. Optimists even believed one more session might result in agreement. The mills of diplomacy certainly grind slowly.

Official circles at St. Petersburg take a cheerfully philosophic view of the efforts of social revolutionists to boycott the elections. If the radical elements abstain from participating, they declare, the election of conservatives is assured. The threatened general strike also does not seem to be keeping the authorities awake at night. The government has been making extensive preparations to suppress an uprising and has doubtless profited by experiences of a few months ago. Premier Witte, just now, has other troubles than those caused by the avowed revolutionists.

The temerity of Henry Watterson in attempting to defend Senator Gorman of Maryland is worthy of a better cause. Senator Gorman stands distinctly for Gormanism, which means pelf and power. His defeat at the polls in his own state, which he sought to disgrace by a law disfranchising enough voters to perpetuate forever the reign of his faction of the Democratic party, is answer enough to Mr. Watterson's weak defense. Gorman never was a statesman. He was and still is simply a political manipulator and office broker. In other words, he is for Gorman, first, last and all the time.

Secretary Metcalf, of the department of commerce and labor, in approving the action of the immigration bureau in ordering the deportation of a Russian and four children who were en route to Pittsburgh, remarks: "I do not believe Pittsburgh is anxious for such additions to her industrious and flourishing population, nor should we admit immigrants of this character." The fares of the party were prepaid to Philadelphia, where they arrived without a cent. The man has no trade. There can be no doubt of the wisdom of Secretary Metcalf's action in sustaining the immigration bureau, which was acting in accordance with well-defined regulations.

Orchestra Season's Close.

With this afternoon's concert the Pittsburgh orchestra closes its season. As to the artistic success achieved there can be no question. Pittsburgh is proud not only of the manner in which the orchestra has fulfilled its mission in the community, but of the enthusiastic praise which has greeted its appearances in other cities during the season. What is described as the largest audience ever assembled at a concert in Cleveland was attracted by the Pittsburgh orchestra one evening this week, and "the greatest enthusiasm prevailed." Six concerts, in all, were given in Cleveland, a city which is unwilling to undertake the financial responsibility of maintaining such an organization. To criticism that the season just closing has not been a success from the financial viewpoint, the orchestra management replies, with much reason, that the Pittsburgh orchestra was not organized with the intention of having it a money-making institution. The orchestra which "pays," in dollars, is a rarity. None does of the standing of the Pittsburgh orchestra.

But the Pittsburgh orchestra emphatically does "pay," in a better sense, and its value to the community has steadily increased each year. A pleasing extension of its influence was afforded by the "popular" concerts which, it is to be hoped, will be a feature of next season. Some ridiculous stories of other cities combining to secure the orchestra have been published. Pittsburgh is too prosperous and too proud of the orchestra to withdraw its support now when the organization has achieved a national reputation. At the close of the season, supporters of the orchestra and all who have enjoyed and profited by its performances may well be pleased over its success and the brilliant prospects which next season has in store.

Automobilists' Rights.

Pittsburgh owners of automobiles are expressing much interest in the legislative campaign to be conducted throughout the country under the auspices of the American Automobile association. The explanation of the scheme which has been received in this city mentions better roads and uniform state laws relating to automobiles as the chief objects for agitation. Every automobile owner in the country will be asked to co-operate with the association and local enthusiasts have already promised their support. So much has been said about the right of pedestrians, there is danger of losing sight of the fact that automobilists, too, have rights. Owing to the prejudice aroused against them in the early days of the pastime, automobilists say there has not been that full recognition of the rights to which they are entitled. Part of the original prejudice was well founded, owing to the carelessness and recklessness of irresponsible chauffeurs. Careful and competent chauffeurs were charged with the sins of others. The pastime received a bad name, in many quarters, which it is now living down.

The bicycle did much for the cause of good roads and the automobile promises to do more. Sometimes it meets with opposition in unexpected places. Some New Jersey farmers recently refused to join in a movement for highway improvement even though automobilists offered to share the expense. While admitting the benefits they would receive, the farmers refused to do anything that would help the automobilists. Many states have passed laws to regulate the pastime. Automobilists believe there should be some uniformity in these laws. They especially desire the privilege of passing from one state to another without purchasing a new license and number. They also desire the same speed restrictions in every state, in order to avoid confusion resulting in unwittingly breaking the law. They are going about their campaign in an open, dignified manner, declaring they ask for no privileges which shall encroach on the rights of other citizens. Uniformity of laws in the several states seems a reasonable contention.

Argentine Markets.

It is gratifying to learn that the United States, although largely handicapped in the way of direct steamship lines, is pushing Germany for second place in trade with Argentina. Consul General George C. Cole of Buenos Ayres furnishes some encouraging figures. There were imported into Argentina in 1904 from Great Britain, goods amounting to $64,517,000; from Germany, $24,926,000 and from the United States, $24,474,000. The increase over 1903 for this country was $7,780,000, which, proportionately, is larger than that of the two leaders. There is another comfortable reflection that while our purchases from Argentina increased over $2,000,000, the balance of trade in our favor for 1904 was a little above $14,000,000.

For the first six months of 1905, the relative positions of England, Germany and the United States remain unchanged, with the percentage of gain slightly in favor of this country. Owing to the wonderful development going on in the Argentine republic, the people are now asking for the very best products, and in the American offerings implements, machinery, footwear and clothing are popular. The drawback to the increased trade from the United States is the old story, so frequently related by consuls, of delay in transit. In this respect Germany and England have the advantage through subsidized steamship lines. If it were not for this lapse of time between order and arrival, often six months, there are many other articles of American production that could be sold.

Another disadvantage with which our merchants and manufacturers have to contend is the long credit given by European firms as against the demand for advance payment by Americans. The chief need at Buenos Ayres is an American bank, which opens a chance for the exploitation of American capital. All of our business is done through European banks, imposing a double exchange. Other countries trading with Argentina have their own banks and merchant marine. Until we meet these conditions we cannot expect to cope successfully with such competition.

The Business Situation.

The decline in cotton to the lowest prices of the year, and the advance in the rates for call loans to stock exchange borrowers, were the only prominent changes of the week. It is well known that after the last cotton crop had been baled and ready for market a movement was set on foot to maintain the price by withholding supplies. The exposures made last year of the methods of reporting the crop had much to do with exaggerating the actual shortage, and southern cotton planters met and solemnly pledged themselves to hold their staple until the market price advanced. The effect of this movement was twofold. It reduced exports, thereby curtailing our commercial credits abroad, and to some extent it made drafts upon the domestic money market for the means of carrying cotton in the south. The decline which took place this week is likely to stimulate shipments. The value of the exports for February was more than $9,000,000 larger than for the corresponding month last year, and the increase for the current month promises to be greater. The decline in wheat is also likely to stimulate exports.

The rise in rates for call loans in Wall street was not unexpected by those who have been closely watching the money market. On Monday it was announced that gold had been engaged in London for shipment to New York, and there was some expectation that this was the beginning of a considerable movement; but the foreign political and financial situation remains so unsettled that foreign bankers are not yet willing to part with gold. Even with a final settlement of the Moroccan question, it is likely that Russian loans long held in abeyance will be brought out and the French and German bankers will endeavor to make money market conditions abroad favorable to government bond flotations. At all events, New York had no sooner begun to draw upon foreign gold than the usual obstacles to the flow hither were placed in the way, and no additional engagements were possible. Still, if our cotton and breadstuffs are exported freely, it will be difficult to prevent imports of gold early this spring.

The uncertainty over the outcome of the conference of coal operators and miners next week has been a factor in the business situation. The preparations made by large consumers to lay in a supply of coal argue the probability of a strike. On the other hand, the disastrous consequences of a prolonged strike have been dwelt upon to such a degree that the public has come to feel that neither operators nor miners can afford to take the responsibility of menacing present industrial and commercial conditions. Under the circumstances it is not strange that sentiment should be less buoyant. The change is most apparent in the stock market. Transactions on the stock exchange have fallen to less than half the daily average in January and February, but with the exception of a few securities which have declined on account of special causes, market values have held fairly steady.

According to Alderman "Bathhouse John" of Chicago, "gents' clothes is too plain this season." It is well there is someone left to keep alive the spirit of Beau Brummel.

"After weeks of quarreling, the delegates are now ready to fall on one another's necks," writes an Algeciras correspondent. This is just what we feared.

Has the Japanese inventor of the wireless telephone fully considered the embarrassment that might result from getting the currents crossed?

The French are a simple people. The only fault they have yet found with their new president is that he wears a ready-made necktie.

The statement that "millionaires scarcely ever laugh" may be amended to read "except when they succeed in making themselves scarce."

Chicago reporters, the other day, found 199 policemen off their beats. The thugs show no sign of neglecting their business.

Delay in making the supreme court appointment will enable a large number of gentlemen to receive honorable mention.

Spelling reform thus far has received the enthusiastic indorsement of the paragraphers and small boys of the country.

Now that Uncle Joe Cannon has been called a despot, he can read the daily news from Russia with added interest.

The opinion at Albany seems to be that yellow dogs may be as dangerous as any others, and perhaps a little more so.

Occupants of glass houses can't help characterizing "Judge" Hamilton's conduct as verging on rudeness.

Missouri's attorney general continues to remind one of Sherlock Holmes because he's so different.

Apparently it will not be necessary to brace the supreme bench for a few months.

Suburbanites are now beginning to take pride in exhibiting their "shovel muscles."

"THE WEARING OF THE GREEN."

"Why do we the shamrock see?"
Asks the child upon my knee,
Why the Irish wear the green?
Why? says Bridget, "sweet Colleen,
Over on the Emerald Isle,
Where their wit is all the style,
Rose a lad, with hopes agleam,
Teaching Christ was not a dream.

Taught he by the green shamrock
To his peasant Irish folk,
Father, Holy Ghost and Son,
One in Three and Three in One,
As St. Patrick was the lad
Made this people's heart so glad,
'Tis for this they wear the green
On his day, my sweet Colleen."

—Columbus Dispatch.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Asbestos Curtain.

By Charles M. Bregg.

Several old copies of Pittsburgh newspapers were in my mail yesterday with the compliments of a reader of this gossip. Their old and faded pages tell a story of days when Pittsburgh sat not so proudly on her myriad hills, but was "a village on the banks of two rivers far away." The first is a copy of The Weekly Commercial Journal and Spirit of the Age, published on Saturday morning, November 29, 1845. The publication office was on Third street, and Robert M. Riddle was the editor and publisher.

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It would be interesting to pick up the scattered threads of history that this old chronicler of Pittsburgh life two generations ago suggest. The task is beyond me, and beyond the purposes of this column. Of amusements Pittsburgh seemed to have little of theatrical kind, though we well know that there was a theater here in which the famous thespians of the day disported themselves. I look in vain through this old paper for an advertisement of a dramatic entertainment. But one amusement "ad" appears, that of a performance by a necromancer called "The Fakir of Ava," who is announced to give "A soiree of Hindoo miracles and mysteries" at the theater, not naming the location or character of the house.

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The editor says in a little reading notice among the locals:

"We attended the first soiree of this skilful artist on Monday evening. His dexterity is really wonderful. He gave one 'experiment' in mesmeric fascination that was truly admirable. He stated that his performances would be 'more strange' as the week progressed; we scarce can guess as to what the finale will be, as the introductory specimens are so incomprehensible."

From which we take it "The Fakir of Ava" made something of a hit among our honest, simple-minded forbears. One of the amusing side lights on the customs of the day is seen in the wording of the advertisement of this entertainment, which, we are assured, will take place each evening, "weather permitting." As the date is November and not March, we trust the weather behaved itself with becoming modesty.

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There are many interesting items in this old paper that recall men and things of a far distant date. For instance, an announcement is made of the dedication of the Second Presbyterian church in the following language:

"THE SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—This beautiful structure will be dedicated to the service of Almighty God on Thursday the 27th inst. (Thanksgiving day). The Rev. Robert J. Breckenridge, D. D., will preach the dedicatory sermon; services to commence at half past 10 o'clock, a. m. This eminent divine has never, we believe, preached in Pittsburgh, and there will, no doubt, be a very general desire to hear him. The day and man are happily chosen.

"The Rev. Dr. Green will also preach in this church in the evening."

Was the Fifth street of this notice Fifth avenue of the present?

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The second old newspaper is of a much more recent date, being a copy of The Daily Commercial Journal of October 20, 1860, on the very eve of those troublous times that plunged the country into a bloody war of four years duration. Abraham Lincoln's name is at the masthead as the Republican candidate for President and the editorials are red-hot against the south. The following excerpt from an editorial indicates how the editors of that time breathed forth blood and thunder:

"Once more to the breach, dear friends! The battle is not yet won. The cohorts of treason, a black cloud of disunionists, are hurrying up from the south, and pouring like an army of locusts upon the state of New York. Even in Pennsylvania the shattered hosts begin again to raise their drooping heads."

That the cohorts referred to in this paragraph would turn out to be an army of brothers with sword and flame the editor doubtless did not foresee.

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In the way of theatrical amusement the people of 1860 enjoyed somewhat larger privileges than those of 1845. There is an advertisemtn in this number of the Commercial Journal of the Pittsburgh theater, William Henderson, manager, and E. Lare, treasurer. The play for the evening was "The Octoroon," and Miss Kimberly is given as the star. The prices range from 50 cents to 25, and the doors are advertised to open at 7 o'clock, the performance to commence at "7½ o'clock." One thing that strikes me in looking over these old papers is the excellent character of news and editorial treatment they display. The old paper of 1845 did not carry a great deal of advertising, but the tone of even the most insignificant news item was dignified and well expressed. There are no "black-faced" type, even in the advertisements, to say nothing of the news head lines. Truly, the times and the manners have changed, and while our forefathers would never have tolerated the styles of today, it is pretty certain that we could not get along with the methods of doing things in vogue at that time.

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Anent a reference in this column a few days ago to the death of Edward J. Morgan, a reader clips and sends me the following brief biography of the actor with the request that I publish it:

"Edward J. Morgan was born in 1873, in one of the suburbs of London, graduated from Oxford with the class of 1892, and is supposed to have begun his professional career on the stage of the London music halls. He soon came to America, his first engagement worthy of record being with James O'Neill in Virginius, after which he played a number of small roles in the support of this actor. However, before joining James O'Neill, he went west and did some unimportant work with Joseph Haworth. With Mr. O'Neill he appeared in a play called Captain Paul, in Boston, the portrayal of his part being sufficiently good to secure him his first New York engagement as Frank Pierson in the District Attorney, which was produced on January 26, 1895. His performance as Lloyd Calvert in The Heart of Maryland, with Mrs. Carter, especially his enactment of the death scene, attracted the attention of Daniel Frohman, who gave him the part of Busquet in Two Little Vagrants, and engaged him for three years with the Lyceum Theater Stock Company, of which he became leading man when James K. Hackett finally retired from that position.

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"In 1898 he went to London, playing the 'heavy' in The Heart of Maryland and returning to create his famous role of John Storm, with Viola Allen, in The Christian, having been specially selected for that character by Hall Caine. After this digression—he had merely been loaned by Mr. Frohman—he continued to act with the Lyceum Theater Company, appearing at this period in one of his two favorite parts, John Ingerfield, in April, 1899. After appearing in the title role of Ben-Hur and as Petronius he made another immensely successful Hall Caine impersonation as David Rossi in The Eternal City, a role in which he continued until March, 1905. He then appeared for a few weeks in The Gentleman from Indiana. Although The Prodigal Son did not prove entirely successful as a play, Edward Morgan won his usual praise for the characterization of Magnus. Mr. Morgan always declared that the part he most delighted to play was that of Sidney Carton in The Only Way.

Some Palatable Breakfast Food Served Hot

By PETER PRY SHEVLIN.

The Land of Lithographs.

They talk of "grand old masters,"
Of Rubens and his rout;
The art that postasters
And critics rave about.
But sometimes through a canvas
The youthful days I see
When the Land of Laughing Lithographs
Was good enough for me.

Their art ne'er struck a chill chord,
Their scenes were wondrous fair
As we hung 'round the billboard
And watched them pasted there.
They told a magic story
Of a fairyland to be—
When the Land of Laughing Lithographs
Was good enough for me.

I call those lithos "laughing,"
Though some looked wicked quite,
For then my heart was quaffing
The cup of pure delight.
With "Topsy" "Eva," "Wild Man,"
The circus act there was free,
When the Land of Laughing Lithographs
Was good enough for me.

Perhaps the sheet- were smudgy,
In lurid colors seen,
The heroine looked pudgy,
The hero red and green;
Yet, like me, they looked happy,
E'en bold bad Simon Legree,
When the Land of Laughing Lithographs
Was good enough for me.

I don't recall a blunder
Or crudity of tone;
A Rubens oft I wonder
Worked fettered and unknown.
No thought of "art" or "canons"
Perturbed my happy glee
When the Land of Laughing Lithographs
Was good enough for me.

'Twas my view, willy-nilly,
Till an old-time litho I
Saw and it looked so silly
It clashed upon the eye!
Perhaps ideals are shattered,
It's boyhood that I see,
When the Land of Laughing Lithographs
Was good enough for me!

The Reform in Spelling.

"Andrew Carnegie is very enthusiastic about the reform in spelling," said the Cheerful Cuss, "but just you wait until he begins to receive letters addressed: 'Andru Karnagi!'"

Not Very Particular.

"Yass, y'know," giggled Willie Wisbone, "that wealthy Miss Goldburne is a—ah—particular friend of mine."

"That so? But why do you call her a 'particular' friend?"

Peter Pry's Philosophy.

Pads are not "good form."

"Keep the middle of the road" is a bad motto these days of automobiles.

Man wants but little here below and he always gets it in the necks.

Everyone profits by past mistakes, particular the contractor on a city job.

Had Good Reason.

Squillingo—Yes, Mr. Grouche is a confirmed woman hater.

Squilbob—Nonsense, man—he's married.

"That's why!"

All Honor to the Bilious!

Disease is not usually accorded its proper place in the politics of this world. Had Napoleon the stomach ache at Waterloo perhaps a fierce onslaught would have reversed history; if Roosevelt had the toothache at an important crisis where might the United States now be tending?

I speak, however, for biliousness, the creator of boldness and great deeds. All the important crusades and world-wide movements have been started by cranks. Biliousness is the prolific creator of cranks. Therefore, that disease is at the bottom of all this world's greatness.

Time for a Romance.

The lawyer—Now that we have obtained several divorces for you, with alimony, I hope you will remember our law firm on a similar occasion.

The litigant—So sorry, you know, but I'll be rich enough to marry for love the next time!

The Last Clutch.

De Ranque—Have you fell off the water wagon yet?

De Tanque—Not entirely. I'm still using water as a chaser.

A Woman't Retort.

Eben—Women have no sense of humor.

Flo—While men have no sense of seriousness, which is worse!

At Our Boardinghouse.

Borum—The old proverb declares that a man becomes what he eats.

Miss Diehl—Try some pork! You dearly love pork, don't you, Mr. Borum?

Both Are Artists.

Smudge—His wife paints her face.

Grudge—And Mr. Lushe paints his nose.

Proper Raiment.

Now Miss Spring, if yo' soshes
If dis town yo' sh'd use
An overcoat, galoshes
An' wear snowshoes!

The Carroll Township School Affair.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir—Reading in your columns today relative to the closing of the schools in Carroll township I would say the instruction to the teachers from Mr. Cook, township superintendent of schools, and also from the board of directors were to send home any scholars who could not show a doctor's certificate of vaccination. At Alexander school, one of the 15 in the township, and that has 34 scholars enrolled, only 12 reported for attendance. Of this number of scholars five only were vaccinated and seven returned home. The other 22 scholars were sick at home with the measles and their parents do not refuse to have them vaccinated, but feel it would be dangerous to do so at the present time. At Victory schools, three rooms, and containing above 100 pupils, all were vaccinated but two. This was the part of the township where a couple of years ago over 100 cases of smallpox occurred and many of the school children still show upon their faces its effect.

It is not the intention to have any of the schools close in enforcing the state laws, as we have a precedent for this in Berks county, this state, where a school has been without scholars since December 4 last, and is held open by the state authorities, the teacher drawing his regular monthly salary. But we do hope to see some proper laws passed during the coming year bearing on this subject as we have had many wrangles over the law as it now stands. Hoping you will place us in a proper light in your columns you will oblige many readers of your paper. Yours respectfully,

A. J. FISHER,
President Carroll School Board.
Hazzard, Pa., March 14.

Answers to Correspondents.

G. P., Braddock—Gault Drumsohone Company, 601 Lewis building, Pittsburgh.

Quiet Observations on Ways of the World

Breaking Away from Boston Is Not an Easy Thing to Do.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Somehow or another a fellow is apt to become attached to Boston after looking it over for a while, particularly if the fellow happens to be a loyal American.

This is the American Mecca, the beginning place of the nation, the home of the independent spirits who lived and labored and sacrificed to establish the American independence of which we boast so much.

Every American should visit Boston once in his life, and make a tour of the places where patriots planned, and fought and died in noble effort to establish a free and independent government.

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And Boston has done well to preserve these sacred places. Even the grave yards in which rest the remains of the real heros and heroines of the revolution have been preserved, and that in spite of the fact that they are now in the very heart of the city, and the ground worth millions of dollars. To suggest the removal of one of these would bring every Bostonian to his feet, and to attempt it would mean riot and bloodshed.

The older burying grounds, as they are called, and which is preferable to either graveyard or cemetery, hold the remains of some who came over in the Mayflower, victims of the conflicts and slaughters that preceded the war, those who fell in battle, and those who died at their several posts of honor.

Upon rough bowlders, granite slabs and marble headstones you read the names that you have read before on history's pages.

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A visit to Old South church, to the old state house, and to Faneuil hall, will carry you back to those troublesome times which marked the birth of our government.

Here are bonnets, hats, dresses, knee breeches, shoes, boots, spurs and swords worn by those who dared, and even died for conscience sake.

In one case you find John Hancock's Sunday clothes—blue silk breeches, red coat, flowered vest, high stock, ruffled shirt, black silk stockings, silver buckled shoes, broad brimmed hat, and bandana handkerchief.

In another case is Mrs. Hancock's state dresses, together with bright ribbons, fine laces, delicately wrought lingerie, dainty, stubby, high heeled shoes, suggestive of the footgear of a Chinese lady.

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To some all this and all the other real relics of those times are nothing more than rubbish, but to hundreds of daily visitors they are more, very much more.

Everywhere in the city, over in Cambridge, out in Charlestown, Somerville, and other suburban places, you find granite and bronze tablets marking the spots where great events occurred, where stood the dwellings of notable people and famous meeting houses.

It will take you two or three days to make the rounds, or better still, a week or two, but when you have seen all these, thought them over, and estimated their outcome, you will feel yourself a better American citizen—you will be a better American.

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Even the rank westerner, sojourner in the land of the "Greaser" and an oft-time pilgrim to the shrines of the Montezumas is not proof against the heart-someness and winsomness of Boston.

One of these, fresh from the mines of Mexico, confessed that he had been taken in so completely that he had about made up his mind to make Boston his home after he had made his pile in Mexico.

So deep and strong became this feeling that it drove him to rhyme his song, as did lovers in ye olden times, and some kindly spirit moved him to send it hither. Not being labeled "not for publication"—little difference if it had been—we let it go as our farewell to Boston for a while.

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BOSTON AN' 'WAY OUT WEST.

Yes-sir-ree, 'jinks! course I like Ol' Boston town,
'Cause it jest lets you think free like, an' talk
Jest as easy as nachur learnt you how to walk—
Wy, I liked it the very fust time I went gaunterin' 'roun'.

It ain't no stylish, stuck up, 'high falutin place—
Its jest nacheral, like it is away out west
In Missoury an' in Kansas, an' the rest—
You don't baf to wear no straight jacket ner gold lace.

Wy, you kin stand out here on this here old sea shore
An throw back yer shoulders an take in free air
Till yer fit to bust a bein' happy, same's out there—
Out West a standin' in yer mountain cabin door.

An' you feel yer mountain strength come boundin' in some-how
To you, from out the rollin' surgin' sea—
You feel yerself a' mighty statoo of liberties
With eagle wings a fannin' o' yer fevered brow.

Wy, if I was a old Puritan I'd stand up proud
And stiff like, and I'd never smile ner nod—
Look straight out afore me into the face of God
An He'd be the only one who'd ever seen me bent or bowed

Yes-sir-ree, I'm proud o' Boston, an' way out West,
Fer when you meet her fellers, wy right then
You feel an' know you been a meetin' men
Which measure up all over to the world's best best.

'Course I like Boston. What man from out West wouldn't?
Boston fellers don't see store close ner the tan—
They come peekin' through yer eyes searchin' fer the man.
Like Boston! I'd be a blame pore thing ef I couldn't.

Y' know its jest been sosfkin' through my head some how
'At maybe Boston folks has been copyin' after us,
Er us a follerin' them, which er neither, don't give a kuss,
Fer we're shore kin folks, same fammerly, here an' now.

Haint had no trouble 'tall recognizin' friends out here,
No more'n out west, ner kin folks in Tennessee—
Wy I know'm right away, and they know me,
Beats the dickens how easy, an how full it is of cheer.

An say, Ras Wilson he b'longs to Boston too,
Tho' meanderin' 'roun' out there in Pittsburgh smoke,
Writin' out the differ'nce 'twixt a tear drop an' a joke—
Wy, sence meeting Ras I see more stars up in the blue.

'Nif I could paint with words
What Enneking does with brush,
Er them other feller's mighty thoughts fer men,
I'd know myself a brother of the best, and then
I'd paint jest wonst, an' set down and listen
Through all eternity to the hush.

Course I want to go back out West, got to go away,
But the fellers here has made it plain to see
That I suit Boston, and 'jinks! Boston shore suits me,
So I 'bout made up my mind to mosey back some time an' stay.

KELLER KENT.
St. Louis, Mo.

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events In Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

The new Annex hotel will open its registry books April 5, according to the plans outlined yesterday. Nothing now remains but a few items of decorations, a general housecleaning and the installation of furniture, already stored in the hotel, to make the Annex ready for occupancy. Many of the suites are now furnished and occupied. It is at least two weeks the new hotel will be ready from cellar to roof. The hotel demands of Pittsburgh, notwithstanding many pessimistic rumors, continue unabated. Judging from applications for the new hostelry, there seems lots of room for every boniface in catering to this city's rapidly increasing number of travelers. The plans call for many changes on the ground floor of the Colonial to allow separate desks, offices, telephone changes and lobbies, in order to allow each hotel to maintain its separate identity.

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Paint Men Will Banquet.

The Pittsburgh Paint, Oil and Varnish club will hold its annual meeting and banquet at the Duquesne club Tuesday night next. Arrangements have been made for 50 guests. An out-of-town guest will be Max Toch, New York, treasurer of the American Chemical society. President Charles J. Caspar will act as toastmaster. The other officers of the club are: Vice president, W. D. Taylor; treasurer, Charles F. Wells, and secretary, George F. Smith. The National Paint, Oil and Varnish association will hold its annual convention this year in Pittsburgh, some time in October. There will be a three days' session. Arrangements have been made for a banquet of 400 at the Hotel Schenley.

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Among the Travelers.

J. D. Nielsen of Christiana, Norway, and G. E. Van Slochen of London, two travelers here on commercial enterprises, registered at the Fort Pitt.

Peter Duryea, the millionaire turfman and owner of large breeding farms in Kentucky, is at the Lincoln hotel. Mr. Duryea is here on a visit to his wife, Viola Allen, the star at a local theater this week.

Robert Jarecki, of the manufacturing company bearing that name, registered yesterday at the Fort Pitt from Erie. Mr. Jarecki is here on a visit to the Pittsburgh agency of his company.

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Scenes in the Stations.

J. H. E. Hagnart, general manager of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, arrived last night from the west in his private car and registered at a local hotel.

The Baltimore & Ohio handled three carloads of Italians gathered from this section and the west who are en route to New York, where they will board vessels bound for Italy.

R. H. Brydon, who left Pittsburgh 15 years ago and is now a prosperous fruit grower in California, remarked as he took a night train back to the Golden Gate: "This town is the only one I've noticed where merchants are considerate enough to spread strips of carpet and matting in front of their places of business during weather of this kind. It gives the traveler a pleasant view of the tact of this town."

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Railroad Stations As Divorce Courts.

The weather may have some bearing on the marital infelicity that is daily aired in Union station. Certain it is that during the last six days five husbands, in every case foreigners, have attempted to use the railroads as a sort of divorce court by skipping out. Five wives have appealed to the special officers in Union station during the last few days to halt fleeing spouses and it speaks well for their determination that in every case they forestalled their man and were ready at the gate as he was hurrying through bound for parts unknown.

Two cases happened last night within an hour of each other and all ended happily—for the time at least. An Italian woman told her troubles to the officer, who was willing to stretch his authority a little for the sake of hymen. After sharp watching the weeping woman espied her spouse and a guttural confab rang on the atmosphere. Then the special officer approached in all the dignity of a nickled badge and the Italian, with memories of the powers of foreign gendarmes, promptly wilted. The couple walked off, arm in arm. A short while later the same comedy, absolutely without variations, was performed with the characters a Russian wife and her Italian husband, who seemed to hanker after his helpmeet's dowry.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Monongahela—W. P. Sprague, Washington.

Griswold—F. C. Stewart, Sistersville, W. Va.; F. H. Sherman, Waynesburg; C. Herald, Wheeling, W. Va.; C. A. Sauerland, Dubois.

St. Charles—W. A. Densmord, Waynesburg; W. H. Marquis, New Castle; C. W. Smith, Wellsville, O.; J. M. Miller, Johnstown; F. E. Dent, Fairmont, W. Va., Frank Nicholson, Steubenville, O.

Antler—H. A. Wagner, Lebanon; J. P. Bowers, Moundsville, W. Va.; G. L. Gordon, Waynesburg.

Newell—M. Mooney, Clairtown; R. C. Wilde, Media; Thomas C. Kennedy, Uniontown.

Henry—J. K. Kilgore, Toronto, O.; H. L. Abell, Waynesburg; George C. Pritchard, Oil City; Clyde D. Wilcox, Corry; P. A. Gibson, Erie; John H. Broadhead, Greenville; A. D. Follet, Marietta, O.; J. W. Gee, Wheeling, W. Va.

Colonial—W. D. Jones, Monaco; W. W. Clever, Franklin, R. C. King, Greenville; W. B. DuBois, DuBois; C. J. Marshall, Jeannette; B. M. Bowman, Oil City; L. L. Lord, Meadville; J. M. Russell, Wheeling, W. Va.

Lincoln—George D. Blair, New Castle; T. L. Wilson, Clarion; J. Emmet Hendrick, Clarion.

Anderson—H. L. Zook, Johnstown; J. A. Richards, Salisbury.

Boyer—R. Bradford, East Liverpool, O.; W. A. Caldwell, Steubenville, O.; G. M. Donehoo, Cross Creek; C. A. Kucher, Beaver; W. J. Patterson, New Galilee; Elizabeth Wallace, Cadiz, O.; G. B. Hitchcock, Friendley, W. Va.

Seventh Avenue—H. H. Gillingham, Ravenna, O.; William Wishart, Dunbar; S. F. Grimes, Waynesburg; E. E. Craig, New Bethlehem; J. A. Loar, Mt. Pleasant; S. A. Ingham, Erie; Charles S. Wilcox, Youngstown, O.; H. P. White, Cambridge, O.

Fort Pitt—R. R. Wright, Wheeling, W. Va.; S. H. Day, Clarion; D. Sinclair, Steubenville, O.; Robert Jarecki, Erie; H. G. McClellan, Mercer; C. E. Robertson, Parnassus; P. A. McCracken, Leechburg; E. W. Gardner, York; C. H. Andrews, Altoona; W. J. St Clair, Steubenville, O.

Duquesne—C. R. Atkinson, Altoona; H. Brennett, Newcomerstown, O.

Seehuley—J. C. Harkrader, Buffalo; W. L. Hilliards, Niagara Falls; W. K. Ellicott, Akron, O.

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Pitsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—G. E. Campbell, F. M. Bowman.

Hotel Astor—W. R. Hamilton, C. M. Legue, W. J. Adams, F. T. Thompson, J. C. Bennett, J. E. Lorch, C. E. Richardson.

Grand—J. P. Fuhr.

Grand Union—E. A. Blaisdell, R. T. Norton, M. Sherwood, H. B. Chapman.

Fifth Avenue—Miss M. A. Robinson.

Park Avenue—W. H. Edmondson.

Manhattan—F. W. Dillon, Mrs. Dillon.

Astor House—M. Lewis.

Empire—J. G. Simpson.

Belmont—Miss M. Patterson.

Broztell—C. O. R. Gollsman.

Algonquin—Miss M. W. Boggaley.

Spalding—S. R. Ireland.

Cosmopolitan—G. Sinning.

Ashland—M. O'Sullivan.

Cadillac—H. Hubbard, Mrs. Hubbard, Misses Hubbard.

Netherlands—H. K. Thompson.

Broadway Central—C. J. O'Connor.

St. Denis—A. C. Middleton.

Union Square—J. G. Morton.

Continental—W. V. Callery, H. W. Williams.

Holland—J. Moorhead, Jr., T. D. Moorhead, Miss A. K. Moorhead, H. Darlington, Jr.

Wolcott—G. J. Oliver, Mrs. Oliver, J. L. Halton, E. V. Hays.

Imperial—R. E. Ward, S. Crowther, W. Cooper, B. G. Lamme, R. M. Gulick, Mrs. Gulick, C. W. Corcoran, J. W. Johnston, Mrs. Johnston, C. Jones, Jr.

CANNON'S FIGHT IS NOT POPULAR

Victory for Senate on Statehood Bill is Predicted Unless Compromise Is Made.

HOUSE CONFEREES TO BLUFF

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—It begins to look as though Speaker Cannon would be obliged to abandon his position on the statehood bill and submit to a compromise with his enemy, the senate. The action of the Republican members of the house yesterday in deciding to send the bill to conference with instructions to insist upon the original house bill which admits Oklahoma and Indian territory as one state, and New Mexico and Arizona as another, is not proving a popular policy with a majority of the members. They stood by the speaker in the caucus and most of them may stand by him later, but they are swallowing their medicine with a wry face.

"Uncle Joe" has the unpopular side of the argument and it is predicted by his friends that he will eventually compromise and accept the Foraker amendment which leaves the question of statehood for New Mexico and Arizona to the voters of those territories and requires the assent of a majority of each. He may even have to go farther than this and accept the bill as it passed the senate, admitting Oklahoma and Indian territory and shutting out the other two.

It was announced that the bill would be sent to conference on Wednesday, but that there would be no hurry about asking for a report on it. The conferees are expected to make a strong bluff and fight hard for the speaker and then along toward the closing days of the session, the compromise can be effected without seriously impairing the prestige of the speaker. Mr. Cannon was a caller at the White House today and when asked if he really intended to fight the senate to a finish or was merely bluffing, he said:

"I think my 30 years in congress ought to have convinced people here that I am honest in my sentiment and that I usually mean what I say. So far as my personal intentions go they are thoroughly opposed to accepting the senate amendments to the statehood bill."

Representative Schakleford of Missouri created a sensation in the house today when he launched forth in an attack upon the speaker, alleging that he has made himself master of the house in defiance of the Constitution. He was finally stopped in his tirade by an objection raised by Mr. Tawney.

Mr. Schackleford recently had a row with John Sharp Williams, minority leader of the house, and is now on the outs with both his own and the opposition party.

WANT CONSOLIDATION.

Fourteen Hundred Citizens of Allegheny Petition Court to Allow Merger of Two Cities.

A petition has been filed and signed by over 1,400 property owners of Allegheny, representing that it would be to the best interest of Allegheny to be annexed to Pittsburgh. The petitioners say the two cities are virtually one community having general interests in common; that many Pittsburghers own realty in Allegheny and many Alleghenians have their business in Pittsburgh and own property there; that consolidation would increase the value of Allegheny realty and the proceedings to this end being instituted have already done so; that economies could be worked out in city government; that taxes would be reduced in both cities; a more efficient police system established, and that property and life would be better protected.

The petition is signed, among others, by Boggs & Buhl, Calvin Wells, George B. Logan, Joshua Rhodes, S. C. Walker, Albert A. Horne, John W. Robinson, Crulkshank Bros. Co., Henry Chalfant and J. N. Jarvis.

Directors Are Elected.

Stockholders of the West View Park Company, which is building the new $200,000 amusement resort at the end of the West View car line in Allegheny, met yesterday and elected the following directors: T. M. Harton, L. T. Yoder, W. D. Johnston, E. D. Comstock, O. C. Mackalip, E. C. Berger and F. W. Henninger.

KNOX TO MAKE HOYT JUDGE IF TAFT DECLINES PLACE

President Announces No Immediate Appointment to Supreme Bench Will Be Made—May Allow Pennsylvania Senator to Recommend.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—Contrary to expectations, no announcement was made today of Justice Brown's successor on the United States supreme bench. Nor will any announcement of the President's selection be made in the immediate future. President Roosevelt issued the following statement today:

"As Mr. Justice Brown will not retire until June, when the supreme court will take a vacation until the second Monday in October, and no public inconvenience can arise from a vacancy continuing through the vacation, the President will take further time to decide the question of Mr. Justice Brown's successor. Several names, including that of Secretary Taft, have been under consideration, but no decision has been reached, or is likely to be reached or announced in the near future."

The most general construction placed upon these words is that Secretary Taft has other fish to fry just at this time and does not want it known that he will retire from the cabinet to take a seat on the bench. There are matters pending before congress which require his influence.

Few doubt that Secretary of War Taft will go upon the bench, although some argue that Mr. Taft may have declined the offer, and the President has taken this method of staving off petitions for the appointment of others.

There is good authority for the statement that if Secretary Taft should become convinced that his duty was to remain in the cabinet, Senator Knox of Pennsylvania would name the successor to Justice Brown, and it would be a Pennsylvania man. If Secretary Taft should not take the place, it is believed that Henry M. Hoyt, solicitor general of the department of justice, would get it. Mr. Hoyt is from Philadelphia, and is the son of former Gov. Hoyt of Pennsylvania. Senator Knox has the very highest opinion of Mr. Hoyt's ability and it is believed that he would recommend his appointment.

DREAM CITY'S MANAGER IS READY FOR BUSINESS

Arrives in the City to Personally Look After Affairs at New Pleasure Park.

W. C. Cunningham of New York city, who will be manager of Dream City, the new pleasure park being built along the Verona road, arrived in the city yesterday to begin his duties. Manager Cunningham comes of a theatrical family, and has practically been raised in the "show" business. He is a son of M. J. Cunningham of Detroit, who built and

Manager W. C. Cunningham.

managed the Theater Comique, the first playhouse ever erected in Detroit. He was at the "Forty-nine Mining Camp" at the Mid-winter Fair in San Francisco, was associated in the management of parks at Chicago and Atlanta, Ga., and managed many attractions at Coney Island. He built and operated City Park at Ft. Smith, Ark., and during the exposition at Nashville managed the Trocadero and Grand opera house of that city. He is thoroughly skilled in park affairs, and, having conducted a vaudeville agency in New York is familiar with that line of business. Mr. Cunningham was also with several large circuses, and as Dream City is to have distinctive vaudeville and circus acts for "free shows," Mr. Cunningham is fitted to select the best of them. Mr. Cunningham is a 32d degree Scottish Rite Mason,

RESCUE PASSENGERS FROM STRANDED SHIP

Cearense Strikes Shoals Near Toms River and Life Savers Bring People Ashore.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 16.—The British steamer Cearense, from Paris to New York, struck on the shoals near Toms river life saving station early today, and tonight lies fast in the sand. All of the passengers were brought safely ashore.

A heavy sea was running when the stranded vessel was discovered by the life saving crew, and it was then impossible for the life savers to launch their boat to give the vessel any assistance. A line was gotten to the vessel and the breeches buoy was rigged up. Later in the day, however, the lifeboats were launched and the passengers were brought ashore.

The tug R. J. Merritt of Philadelphia has been engaged to float the steamer, but it is not believed that the vessel can be floated tonight. Capt. Mason and the crew of the Caerense remain on board the vessel. The Caerense has on board a large cargo of rubber from Brazil and of sugar from the Barbadoes.

Consistory of New York, and also a Knight Templar and member of the B. P. O. Elks, lodge No. 272, of Pittsfield, Mass.

RUSSIA HAS NOT ACCEPTED THE LOAN OF $50,000,000

ST. PETERSBURG, March 16.—The government has not yet accepted the loan of $50,000,000 offered by the Russian bankers. The government is in necessity of a much larger amount and is inclined to postpone the negotiations temporarily in the hope of floating an interior loan of double the amount later. Besides, the government has assurance if an agreement is reached at Algeciras, of obtaining $150,000,000 or more from a French, German, Dutch and British syndicate.

Teachers Hold Meeting.

Pittsburgh teachers of the seventh grade met in the North school yesterday afternoon and heard and discussed papers on "Literature," "Composition," "Geography," "Arithmetic" and "Methods of Teaching Poetry." Superintendent Samuel Andrews delivered a short address on "The Personality of the Teacher."

A savings bank pass book is better than a letter of recommendation. It is an absolute proof of character. Everyone should save something, no matter how small the amount. The most profitable investment for the person of small means is a savings account, bearing 4 per cent compound interest, with the Commonwealth Trust Company, in Fourth avenue.

SLEIGHBELLS RINGING ALL OVER BOTH CITIES

Merry Parties on the Country Roads—Lively Brushes on the Allegheny Speedway.

Sleighbells are ringing all over the city, as well as the country, and every vehicle that will glide over the snow is in use. This is the first real sleighing of the winter.

Thursday night and last night the Country club on Beechwood boulevard looked like a roadhouse, with the sleighs all about. If the snow stays it will be packed by Sunday, and the speedway of the Beechwood boulevard will be thronged with fast horses. Sleighing parties suddenly sprang into vogue, and back of Mt. Washington, out towards Mt. Lebanon, a number of four-horse turnouts were traveling last night. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Tombaugh of Mt. Washington gave a sleighing party last night and had a merry time.

The Ridge avenue speedway attracted North Side horsemen yesterday, and some good brushes were seen. Such horses as Henry S., Jr. (2:17), Nellie Emmett (2:15), Winnetta (2:18¼), Mollie Brown (2:20), George D. (2:16½) were out.

Ralph, owned by Samuel Ward, and Sky Light, John B. Wilson's stepper, turned first. Ralph showed a clean pair of heels to Sky Light. George D. and Winnetta put up a hot fight in their brush, with George D. having a shade. Easily the king of yesterday's field was Frank Evans' Henry S., Jr. Nellie Emmett made Mollie Brown take to the woods, her owner, Rody Mathews, not being able to control her.

The Allegheny horsemen would like to see the Pittsburgh drivers with their fast steppers this afternoon, and some sharp brushes on the Ridge avenue speedway are in prospect. Frank Evans will have out Gray Ghost, with a trial of 2:12, this afternoon. This is a recent purchase in Philadelphia. He will be used this year for Schenley Park matinees.

MARY ANTHONY TO TAKE FAMOUS SISTER'S PLACE

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 16.—At a council of the family of Susan B. Anthony today it was decided that Mary Anthony shall go to Oregon to aid in the suffragist campaign there. She will start next week with Rev. Dr. Anna Shaw, and the two will speak from platforms in that state.

Something Brand New.

The extensive business of McCann & Co., 413-415 Market st., has given this city the largest sanitary equipped butter, egg and poultry store in the world.

WILL BE OPEN ON SUNDAY

May's Find It Expedient To Keep Both Their Establishments Open for Business Tomorrow.

May's drug store at Fifth avenue and Market street and the new establishment on Penn avenue, near Highland, will be open hereafter on Sundays, as well as every evening. The firm finds this necessary on account of the demands of customers.

Many requests have been received from customers asking that the stores be kept open on Sundays and every evening.

The majority of these persons, in writing to the firm, said that they objected to paying the prices charged at the average drug store, but that they were obliged to do so on many occasions when the May store was closed. No doubt there are thousands of other persons who suffered the same disadvantage, but made no complaint about it. However, it is easy to understand why a person who has once been a customer of May's should object to the prices charged by other drug stores.

May's soda fountain, in charge of an expert, is in operation every Sunday and every evening. All departments are doing business so long as either store is open.

The firm's cigar and candy departments are daily becoming more popular.

The same prices prevail at the East End store as at the downtown establishment. Telephone orders receive special attention.

CLOSING ORGAN RECITALS.

Wilhelm Middleschulte, Distinguished Player from Chicago, Will Appear Tonight and Tomorrow.

The eleventh season of free organ recitals at Carnegie Music hall, Pittsburgh, will be brought to a close with the recitals this evening and tomorrow afternoon. The recitals are brought to an enforced close at this time because Carnegie music hall must be given over to the contractors early next week in order that everything be ready in connection with the extensive alterations now going on at Carnegie library building for the dedication next November.

By invitation of the music hall committee of the trustees, Mr. Wilhelm Middleschulte will give these recitals. Mr. Middleschulte ranks among the first concert organists of the United States; he has made his home in Chicago since 1891. Mr. Middelschulte's Saturday evening program is an excellent mirror of the man's tastes and ideals. It is as follows:

(a) Prelude in E minor; (b) Andante (from Fourth Sonata); (c) Fugue in D major (from "Well Tempered Clavichord").....Bach
(a) Andante in A flat major.....Mozart
(b) Chorus (from Faust").....Schumann
(c) Allegretto.....Mendelssohn
(d) Scherzo in C minor.....Guilmant

Intermission of five minutes.

Passacaglia in D minor.....Middelschulte
(a) Fantasie in D flat major; (b) Fantasie in E flat major.....Saint-Saens
Concert in C minor.....Thiele

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AUCTION SALE
PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT.

Gas Engine, Printing Presses, Cutter, Type Stands, Numbering Machines, Lease etc., to be sold at

610 Wood Street, on the Fifth Floor of Post Building.
Friday, March 23d, 1906.
At 10 o'clock, A. M.

All the property of A. D. Beck, individually doing business as the Beck Printing Co., consisting of a two-year lease at $125.00 per month, 1½ H. P. Gas Engine, 1 Self Clamping 32-in. Acme Cutter, Babcock No. 4 Two Revolution Cylinder Press, Two Golding Presses, Two Chandler & Price Gordon Presses, One Jersey Stitcher, One Punching and Round Cornering Machine, Two Numbering Machines, Type, Cases, Shafting, Pulleys, Belting, Hangers, etc. To be sold as a whole or in parts.

Terms 20 per cent cash at time of sale and balance upon confirmation by court. Sale to be subject to the approval of the United States court, on Saturday, March 24, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. The receiver reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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A Man's fine Black Rain Coat, $15.00.
Others, $10.00 to $30.00.
Good assortment Winter Storm Overcoats at greatly reduced prices.

Just put on sale.

Fifty dozen Men's New Spring Four-in-hands—best Silks—choicest shades, 50c.

A feature of these 50c Four-in-hands is they are made full Frenched (back the same as front) the finish usual only in Dollar Cravats.

More new Books out today.

"The Patriots"—the story of Lee and the last hope, by Cyrus Townsend Brady, $1.08.
"The Golden Greyhound," by Dwight Tilton, $1.08.
"Marcella the Mad," by Seth Cook Comstock, $1.08.
"The Girl from Tim's Place," by Charles Clark Munn, $1.08.

The following $1.08 Books just added to the 45 cent list:
"The Kindred of the Wild."
"The Prize to the Hardy."
"The Two Vanrevels."
"The Battle Ground."
"The Adventures of Gerard."
"None but the Brave."
"The Brethren."

Millinery — new feature — permanent section on the first floor for the sale of Flowers, Foliage, Untrimmed Hats and other Millinery accessories.

Showing today of beautiful new Spring Flowers—practically everything in the flower line, 15, 25 and 35c.

Superb Suits for $25.00 just in.

Alice Blue, Green, Rose, Navy, Black, fine Panama.

Eton style, vest effect front trimmed with rows of self-colored Soutache, piped with Taffeta.

Tucked silk girdle, three-quarter length sleeve with extra pair of separate cuffs.

Can you imagine what a fetching style this is?

Better come and see.

The value—fabric, fashioning and faultless fit—as much of a feature as the style at the price.

Fine China — Sale today 2000 pieces—an exclusive importer's sample line—mostly hand decorated and coin gold trimmings—beautiful gift pieces, about import cost.

Chop Plates, Salads, Sugars and Creams, Sugar Baskets, Spoon Trays, Olive Trays, Sauce Boats, etc.

Among them 200 handsome Plates—many rare pieces, 75c and $1.00.

Assortment of patterns White and Arabian Sill Curtains, Battenberg and Cluny—Insertion, Motif and Applique effects, $3.50 a pair.

Sale Blue Enamel Pudding Pans, White lined, 1, 1½ and 2 quart, 12½c each.

Your choice of 50 fine Antique Persian Rugs, Hearth size, at two prices, $22.00 and $28.00.

A confection worthy of particular note. Swiss Milk Chocolate Covered Creams, with whipped cream center — truly the daintiest Chocolate Cream we've ever tasted, 50c a pound.

BOGGS & BUHL,
ALLEGHENY.

THE PROGRESSIVE HOUSE OF SPEAR

Will Soon Occupy the Greatest Furniture and Carpet House in the Civilized World—The Store That's "White All Over."

The "Progressive House of Spear" will soon occupy its great white palace, directly across from its present location, 908 and 910 Penn avenue. This mammoth building was planned over a year ago by Henry Buhl and R. H. Boggs, of the firm of Boggs & Buhl, of Allegheny, for the exclusive use of Spear & Company. The tremendous progress made by Spear by virtue of having put into force his remarkable Generous, Dignified and Just Credit System made it absolutely necessary to secure larger quarters. In order to accommodate their needs it was necessary to plan a huge structure, as nothing already erected could satisfy them. The result is that within a few weeks Pittsburghers will be able to boast of the most magnificent and largest furniture and carpet house in the entire world.

The use of this enormous building proves Spear's faith in the future of Greater Pittsburgh and in the good will and fair mindedness of the people. Departing radically from the old, obnoxious methods in vogue in the installment business and giving the public a Decent, Clean, Upright, Desirable and Dignified method of merchandising has made for Spear & Company thousands upon thousands of friends who will wish them every success in their new quarters.

It is Spear & Co's intention not to move any of their present stock, but to close it out during their "Removal Sale," thus enabling them to open the new store with absolutely fresh goods.

The new building is situated on the old Government lot on Penn Avenue, corner of Garrison Alley. It covers the entire lot facing one hundred feet in Penn avenue and running 150 feet along Garrison Alley to Fayette Street. It is eight stories high, with a finished basement, and has balconies extending entirely around the first floor. This will give a total floor space including the basement of 151,000 square feet, or over 3½ acres. This enormous space will enable this progressive firm to carry a line of furniture and carpets never before attempted by a local firm. There will be about four times more room in the new building than in the one Spear & Co. now occupy across the street at 908 and 910 Penn avenue. The shipping facilities are perfect, it being possible to load over twenty wagons at one time.

Not merely in the matter of size will this building be noteworthy, but in appearance and finish. No expense has been spared to make it an ornament to the business district of Pittsburgh. And it will be pointed out to visitors with as much pride as many other points of interest in this busy city.

It is of modern steel construction, strictly fireproof and has a front of white glazed enameled terra cotta. The side walls are of pressed brick and foundations extra heavy, so that as the firm's business continues to increase and expand four more stories will be added.

A private electric-light and steam-heating plant will be installed in the basement. Two passenger elevators will accommodate the patrons, and two large freight elevators will be provided. Fireproof rooms for varnish and combustibles will be a new feature never before attempted. The offices will be models of elegance. They will be finished in hardwood and richly furnished. The fixtures throughout the building will be of the choicest and most modern kind. It will in truth be a "mercantile palace."

AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—LAST TWO TIMES MATINEE & EVE.
VIOLA ALLEN
In Clyde Fitch's Comedy.
"THE TOAST OF THE TOWN"
NEXT WEEK—Miss Maxine Elliott.

Alvin Special Price Mats. Tues., Thurs., Sat. Best Reserved Seats 25c & 50c. THIS WEEK
PEGGY FROM PARIS.
Next Week—Mr. Blarney from Ireland.

GAYETY—MATINEES DAILY
JERSEY LILIES
Next Week—PARISIAN WIDOWS.

AMUSEMENTS.

BELASCO Tonight 8:15. Mats. Wed. and Sat., 2:15; Wed. Mat. 25c to $1.
HENRYE. DIXEY in the MAN on the BOX

NEXT WEEK—SEATS ON SALE
Arnold Daly's
COMPANY IN
YOU NEVER CAN TELL
and (by request) CANDIDA

GRAND CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE 1:30 TO 10:45 PM
ALL THIS WEEK
EVA TAYLOR
HUGH J. WARD and Dennis Harris in THE C. R. C. U. S. RIDER
15 BIG ACTS

EMPIRE THEATER, Up Town. Collins Ave. Reached by All Car Lines. This Week
GEO. KLINT &c
BIG HEARTED JIM.
Matinee Saturday.
Next week—How Baxter Butted In.

AMUSEMENTS.

Today at 2:15
CLOSING CONCERT
Pittsburgh Orchestra
EMIL PAUR, Conductor.
Brilliant Program, Including "PATHETIC" SYMPHONY By Tschaikowsky.
All Seats reserved at 50c and 75c. Ticket office at Hamilton's, 531 Wood St. Bell Tel. Grant 1249, and at Carnegie Music Hall after 1:30 P. M. today.

HARRY W. WILLIAMS Academy "THE HOME OF BURLESQUE"
The Broadway Gaiety Girls

DUQUESNE GARDEN
ICE SKATING AFT.-EVE.
RACES TONIGHT 8:15
Western Pennsylvania Championships.

ATTACK BEGUN ON LIGHT FRANCHISE

Corporations Committee Approves the Ordinance Against Duquesene Light Co.

WELLER'S PROTEST IGNORED

The ordinance repealing the franchise of the Duquesne Light Company, granted by councils in November, 1904, was approved yesterday by the corporations committee of councils. Chairman John Costello read a letter from Attorney John S. Weller, claiming the company had so far complied with the terms of the franchise ordinance requiring it to begin work within six months after the ordinance is approved by the mayor. Mr. Weller said the company has until next November to complete its plant, and had made a "beginning" by ordering machinery. He suggested the committee refer the matter to the city solicitor before making an "attack on the vested rights" of the company.

Chairman Costello was in favor of the committee referring the matter to the city solicitor, and A. G. Roenigk supported Costello. Mr. Roenigk claimed that writing a letter asking for the prices of machinery might be called a "beginning" of work under the terms of the franchise. He said the approval of the repealer was inviting a lawsuit.

Councilman John Taylor, the author of the repealer, was asked to make a statement, and said:

I feel that the franchise of the Duquesne Light Company was not secured from councils in good faith. Up to this time the company has done nothing to fulfill its agreement with the city. There is no proof that the company began work during the six months after the franchise was granted or that the company will complete its plant and be furnishing light in two years, as the ordinance requires. A representative of the company stated on the floor of common council, when the franchise ordinance was pending, that it would be ready to do business in two years and would furnish light to the city for $75 per arc lamp. I believe the company never intended to do business that its only object was to get the franchise and put it on the market for sale.

Richard McNally moved the repealing ordinance be reported to councils with an affirmative recommendation. This was seconded by E. A. Sweeney and was carried, the only negative vote being cast by Mr. Roenigk.

Measures still in committee and which will die there include all the Hall traction ordinances which were held up by a deal with the Pittsburgh Railways Company in 1904 by which the company secured a number of downtown loops and the franchise for the Morningside line and the Hall syndicate secured the franchise for the Duquesne Light Company, which the corporations committee recommended yesterday to be repealed; ordinances to grant franchises to the City Electric Company, City Light, Heat and Power Company, regulating the transportation of passengers in open summer cars, prohibiting the carrying of passengers on platforms of street cars, and compelling electric wires to be buried.

CITY IS TO PAY NEARLY TWO-THIRDS OF COST

Assessed $154,122 for Sixth Avenue Widening—Only $87,667 Against Property.

The report of the board of viewers on the widening of Sixth avenue from Grant street to Diamond street was made public yesterday afternoon. The awards of damages and benefits were eagerly scanned by property owners affected by the improvement. The exact amount assessed against the city is $154,122, nearly double the entire amount assessed against the property owners benefited.

The total damages amount to $241,789, which are paid to the owners of the property on the south side of Sixth avenue taken for the widening. This amount is raised by assessing the city $154,122 and the owners of property on the other side of the avenue $87,667. The city pays nearly two-thirds of the cost of the improvement.

Director Bigelow said the award was satisfactory to him and that he did not think the assessment against the city excessive. "I would have been satisfied if the assessment against the city had reached $300,000," said the director. The damages which will be paid the property owners on the south side of the avenue are as follows:

Isaac Kaufmann, $28,782; E. Bradley, $13,600; Jeremiah Coughlin, $12,336; William Gallagher, $20,342; Ferdinand Pollick, $5,265; heirs of John Quinn, deceased, $4,540; Christian Pesser, Gottlieb A. Kleman, Jacob Kaemper, John Kimpel, Gottlieb Wetrach and Rudolph Oberheiman, trustees of the Zion Church of Evangelical Association of the city of Pittsburgh, $8,060; George and Nathaniel B. Hogg, $6,500; Margaret Pollock, $8,300; Gilbert T. Rafferty, $28,200; Mrs. Eliza Jane McGeagh, $47,905; Agnes M. Brown, $29,472; Simpson M. Powell, $13,925; total, $241,759.

The following are the assessments of benefits against the property owners on the other side of the avenue:

Kate McCabe, $4,400; Joseph S. McHeagh and John Geagh, $7,400; Patrick Glynn, $1,125; Edward Jelly, Jr., $1,080; Edward Kelly, Jr., $2,882; Bernard Rafferty, $14,000; William Gallagher, $7,000; P. Dean Est, $5,600; William Curran, $3,900; Edward Kelly, Jr., $2,000; Tillie C. Werder, $5,000; William F. Aull, $4,500; the First German Evangelical Lutheran church of Pittsburgh, $7,700; Thomas F. Walsh, $5,000; T. J. Keenan, $5,000; Henry J. Bailey, $11,000; total, $87,667.

ECHOES FROM CARNEGIE HALL.

Illustrated Chart Talks at Braun's Auditorium, East End, Tomorrow.

Pastor Russell, at Pittsburgh Carnegie Hall last Sunday evening, at the close of his address on "Resurrection of Damnation," urged the audience to attend a series of two chart talks to be given next Sunday (tomorrow) in further exposition of the truths he was presenting. He stated that a clear understanding of the divine plan of the ages would be almost impossible without a study of the "Chart of the Ages," which helps to unfold the orderly sequence of the purpose of God in respect to the salvation of mankind. The minister who will present the chart talks is A. E. Williamson of Allegheny, and his presentation will be delivered reverently, with a constant appeal to the Scriptures to support the arguments presented.

A. E. Williamson.

The place of meeting will be Braun's Auditorium, 200 S. Highland avenue, East End, and the time will be 2:30 and 7:30 o'clock, Sunday, March 18. The two talks are not identical, but the evening session will be a continuation of the afternoon session. A hearty welcome is extended to all. Seats free. No collection.

Sued for Libel.

SCHENECTADY, March 16.—Papers have been filed here in an action for $50,000 damages for malicious libel, brought by the W. T. Hanson Company, manufacturers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, against Collier's Weekly, for alleged false statements regarding the company and its preparation. The suit is the result of the attacks made by Collier's on the patent medicine business and is similar in many respects to that of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, against the Ladies' Home Journal, in which the doctor was awarded heavy damages.

The Death Roll.

Mrs. Catherine M. Lynch.

Mrs. Catherine M. Lynch (nee Pack), a former resident of Allegheny and Pittsburgh, died suddenly of heart trouble yesterday morning, aged 63, at her country home at Smicksburg, Indiana county, Pa. Mrs. Lynch was the widow of John B. Lynch, a hotel keeper of Allegheny. She is survived by two young sons, Thomas J. and Joseph Lynch. She was a member of the St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Forty-sixth street, where the funeral services will be held Monday morning. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

Constantine Jordan.

Constantine Jordan of Main street, Sharpsburg, died yesterday afternoon. He was born in Dorfborn, Hesse, Germany, in 1825. In 1848 he came to this country and settled in Pittsburgh. He had been a resident of Sharpsburg for the last 51 years. He was a member of St. Mary's church, Sharpsburg, being one of its founders. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Anthony of Allegheny and Joseph of Butler, and three daughters, Mrs. Thomas Reilly, Mrs. Charles N. Fritsch and Mrs. P. J. Scholl.

Charles S. Loughry.

Charles S. Loughry, aged 39, a broker's clerk, died yesterday at the home of his brother, Attorney Harry S. Loughry, 7821 Bennett street, after an illness of three months. He was born in Westmoreland county, but for the last 5 years had resided in Pittsburgh. He was a member of the Presbyterian church. Mr. Loughry was unmarried. He is survived by five brothers, James T., Pennsylvania railroad agent at East Pittsburgh; R. M., poor director of Westmoreland county; Alexander, Lincoln and H. S. Loughry of Pittsburgh.

Robert B. Robinson.

Robert B. Robinson, aged 70, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. F. Barrett, 16 Dawson avenue, Bellevue, last evening. Mr. Robinson has been sick for about seven weeks with bronchial trouble, which was the cause of his death. He came to this city from Ironton, O., but for many years has been a stone contractor in this city. He is survived by two daughters, one single, living with her sister, Mrs. Barrett. Interment will be in Woodlawn cemetery, Ironton, O., and the body will be shipped there today.

Cornelius Sullivan.

Cornelius Sullivan, aged 80, who for several years was street commissioner of East Pittsburgh, died yesterday morning at his home on Electric avenue, East Pittsburgh. He was born in Ireland in 1823 and came to this country in 1864. For the last 12 years he had lived in East Pittsburgh. His wife died 10 years ago. He was a member of St. Colman's Roman Catholic church, Turtle Creek. He leaves three sons, Daniel J., Eugene, O. A. and James Sullivan, all of East Pittsburgh.

Obituary Notes.

Thomas J. Orgill, aged 56, died yesterday at his home, 4212 Main street. He was a member of Branch No. 68 of the C. M. B. A.

Mrs. Anna Laura Frederick, aged 27, wife of Henry E. Frederick, died Thursday at the family residence, Almeda street, Glenwood. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Her husband and two children survive.

George Dale, aged 81, of Jefferson township, died at his home Wednesday evening, March 14, at 6:30. He came to the Monongahela valley 59 years ago from Somerset county. He is survived by eight children. Funeral services will be held at his late home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the interment being at Jefferson cemetery.

William Gray, aged 20, died yesterday of meningitis at the home of his brother, Charles E. Gray, 419 Fourth street, Braddock. He was a machinist at the Westinghouse works and a member of the First Presbyterian church, Braddock. He went to Braddock from West Virginia three years ago. He leaves five sisters and four brothers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

William Leftrovich, Alice Knott; Charles F. Weber, Florence Hughes; William J. Stewart, Julie A. De Armit, all of Pittsburgh.

Mendel Lewinter, Sarah Kreil, Duquesne.

Hunter A. Hall, Susie Robinson, Bellevue.

Algot Johnston, Agnes Anderson, Braddock.

Bernhard G. Schroeder, Lower St. Clair; Goldie Eickley, Mt. Oliver; Walter P. Bockstoce, Castle Shannon, Anna Grummenstein, Pittsburgh; Elmer E. West, Mt. Washington, Grace A. Hazzard, Pittsburgh.

DIED.

ANDERSON—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 3:20 a. m., at Oakmont, Pa., FRANK BUSHNER ANDERSON, infant son of Edward E. and Rose Bushner Anderson, aged 9 months. Funeral services at the family residence, Sixth street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private Sunday.

BINDER—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 9:05 p. m., THOMAS BINDER, aged 75 years, at the residence of his son-in-law, Philip Staab, No. 38 St. Paul street, South Side. Notice of funeral later.

CONANT—Suddenly, on Wednesday morning, March 14, 1906, at New York city, JAMES WALLACE CONANT, in his 44th year. Funeral services at the family residence, 110 61st street, this morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private later.

CONDON—On Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 7 a. m. at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles M. Cook, 380 Tonoka street, West View, Mrs. CAROLINE CONDON, in her 54th year. Funeral services this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

FREDERICK—On Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 6:30 a. m., ANNA LAURA, wife of Henry E. Frederick (nee McGlaughlin), in her 27th year. Funeral from the residence of John Frederick, Almeda street, Glenwood, on Sunday, at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. Paul's Lutheran church, at 2 p. m.

GARAHAN—At St. Joseph's hospital, on Friday, March 16, 1906, at 3 a. m., PAUL, son of James and Bridget McCullough Garahan, aged 15 years. Funeral from the family residence, 2320 Eccles street, Twenty-seventh ward, South Side, on Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem mass at St. Henry's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HENDRICKSON—On Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 10:10 a. m., ROBERT HENDRICKSON, in his 84th year. Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Sarah Wyland, 230 Thirty-eighth street, on Sunday, March 18, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family and members of Corona Lodge 23, A. O. U. W. respectfully invited to attend.

JOHNSON—On Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 4:30 a. m., WARREN M. JOHNSON. Funeral services at his late residence, 5824 Rural avenue, East End, Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

LOUGHRY—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 7:35 a. m., CHARLES S. LOUGHRY, son of the late Dr. J. N. Loughry and Matilda Loughry. Funeral services at his late residence, No. 782a Bennett street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private. (Indiana and Westmoreland county papers please copy.)

LYNCH—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 3 a. m., at Smicksburg, Pa., CATHERINE M. LYNCH (nee Pack), relict of John Lynch, aged 63 years. Funeral from the residence of Winfield S. Wineland, 407 Fortieth street, Monday morning. Requiem high mass at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Forty-sixth street. Interment at St. Mary's cemetery.

MARTIN—Suddenly, at the home of H. J. Firestine, 478 Ella street, Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Friday, March 16, 1906, at 4:50 p. m., Mrs. MARY E. MARTIN. Notice of funeral later. [Harrisburg (Pa.) and Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.]

MOORHEAD—Suddenly, at New York, on Thursday, March 15, 1906, of pneumonia, SAMUEL WYLIE BLACK MOORHEAD. Funeral services at the residence of his father, William J. Moorhead, 616 St. James street, East End. Time to be announced later.

OBITZ—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 6 a. m., ARTHUR A., son of John and Minnie King Obitz, in his 8th year. Funeral services at his parents' residence, 1229 Idlewild street, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ROBINSON—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 4:20 p. m., at his residence, No. 16 Dawson avenue, Bellevue, Pa., ROBERT B. ROBINSON, in his 70th year. Notice of funeral later.

STEWART—Very suddenly, on Friday, March 16, 1906, at 7 a. m., CATHERINE KNOX, widow of George Stewart. Funeral services at her late residence, 807 California avenue, Allegheny, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private on Monday morning.

STRASSER—On Thursday, March 15, 1906, at 5 a. m., Mrs. LETTIA G., widow of John Strasser, aged 76 years 2 months 14 days. Funeral service will be held at the residence of her son, Florence P. Strasser, 1606 Market street, Allegheny, on Sunday, March 18, at 1 p. m. Interment private later.

SULLIVAN—On Friday, March 16, 1906, at 7 a. m., CORNELIUS SULLIVAN, aged 83 years. Funeral from his late residence, Electric avenue, East Pittsburgh, Pa., on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Services at St. Coleman's church, Turtle Creek, Pa., at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FLORAL EMBLEMS
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Next Sunday Evening
Christ M. E. Church
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Special music by the Quartet Choir.

All seats are free in these Sunday evening services and the public is cordially invited.

Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. Daniel Dorchester, Jr.

Soprano....Miss Elsie Gundling
Alto....Miss Geraldine Vaughn
Tenor....Mr. Edward Vaughn
Basso....Mr. F. S. Cutter

Selections from the music of "Elijah" by Mendelssohn.

Organ prelude....."Aria"
Anthem....."He Watching Over Israel"
Quartet....."Cast Thy Burden Upon the Lord."
Tenor Solo....."If With All Your Hearts"
Quartet....."O Come Every one That Thirsteth"
Alto Solo..."O Rest in the Lord"
Postlude....."Final Chorus"

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When about to travel, if subject to headache, nervousness, dizziness, or car-sickness, take one or two doses of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills before starting. They will insure you against an attack.

There are a great many who are sure to have headache, whenever they go to church or places of amusement, or where there is any excitement or oppression. Take them with you, and on the first indication, take a tablet and see how quickly it will disappear. To such persons Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are a great blessing. They soothe the nerves and allay irritation and excitement.

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Quartered oak round tables. Diameter 24 inches.
$2.75.
Value $5.50.

Quartered oak round tables with curved legs and fancy shelf.
$4.50.
Value $9.00.

Quartered oak or mahogany veneer tables—Square or oval.
$3.00, $4.50 and $5.00.
Values $6.00, $9.00 and $10.00.

Golden oak oblong tables with shelf. Size 36x27 inches.
$6.75.
Value $13.50.

Round tables of weathered oak, "Mission" style.
Diameter 28 inches.....$5.00
Value $9.00.
Diameter 35 inches.....$10.00
Value $18.00.
Diameter 36 inches.....$12.00
Value $20.00.

Oblong tables of weathered oak.
Size 24x36 inches.....$8.50 and $10.00
Values $15.00 and $18.00.
Size 24x40 inches with drawer and shelf.....$18.00 and $25.00
Values $30.00 and $40.00.

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$ 3.00	Value	$ 6.00
$ 5.00	"	10.00
$ 7.50	"	15.00
$11.50	"	20.00
$14.00	"	25.00
$18.00	"	30.00

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The following application for license to sell vinous, spiritous, malt or brewed liquors, or any admixture thereof, as agents, brewers, bottlers, distillers, druggists and wholesalers, at the several places designated below, will be heard by the court of quarter sessions of Allegheny county, commencing on Monday, April 2, 1906, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., hearings to continue from time to time, in accordance with the rules of court, and to follow in the order in which they arepublished:

DISTILLERS.

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THIRD WARD.

Name of Applicant.	Place License is Applied For.	Present Residence.
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Pgh. Brewing Co....2400 to 2412 Smallman st....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWELFTH WARD.
(Both Nos. inclusive)

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Pgh. Brewing Co....3806 to 3830 Charlotte st....Pittsburgh, Pa.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

Pgh. Brewing Co....Southerly side of Liberty ave., extending from Porfar st. to Sassafrass st...Pittsburgh, Pa.
Pgh. Brewing Co....N. E. cor. Main and Howley sts., and extending along the northerly side of Main st. and Liberty ave. to a point 110 ft. west of the westerly side of Ella st.Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

Liberty Brewing Co. West side of Julius st., being cor. Julius st. and P. R. R....Pittsburgh, Pa.

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SEVENTH WARD.

Pgh. Brewing Co...N. W. cor. Vinial st. and Troy Hill road Nos. 1 to 19 on Troy Hill road and Nos. 800 to 826 on Vinial st....Pittsburgh, Pa.

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SIXTH WARD.

Heil, John Frederick 1619-1621 Forbes ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.

ELEVENTH WARD.

McCalmont, Lee....1846 Wylie ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Werner, Harry S....2210-2212 Jane st. and 2209-2211 Harcums alley....Carrick borough.

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ALLEGHENY.

THIRD WARD.

Karn, Leonard....512 East st....Allegheny, Pa.

FOURTH WARD.

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FIFTH WARD.

Neely, Ernest L....1283 Pennsylvania ave....Allegheny, Pa.

McKEESPORT.

EIGHTH WARD.

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KNOXVILLE.

Lascheid, Peter....171-173 Southern ave....Knoxville, Pa.

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Auerbach, Hellmuth. 328 Liberty st....Allegheny, Pa.
Schneider, Peter....Allegheny, Pa.
Baylor, J. E....122-124 Third ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Ross, Geo. C....Coraopolis, Pa.
Hiller, J. M....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Mierzwa, Richard....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Howe, S. D....Pittsburgh, Pa.
La Goullon, Frank....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Dargunsky, Chas. G....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schwartz, Harry....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Ifft, Chas. G....Ingram, Pa.
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Bigley, John H....310 Ferry st....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schwartz, Morris....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Bisi, Carmello....10 Diamond square....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Caprini, Alexander L....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Frey, Otto....7 Diamond square....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Gundelfinger, William C....12 Diamond square....Sewickley, Pa.
Hall, Hugh....8-9 Diamond square....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hall, Samuel....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Heron, Frank H....12 Market st....Sewickley, Pa.
Hanauer, A. M....Offices 706-707-708 Arrott Building....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Rosenberg, Hugo....401 to 407 Wood st....Allegheny, Pa.
Rosenbloom, Solomon....29-30 Diamond square....Allegheny, Pa.
Staley, John A....410-412 Market st and 3 Diamond square...Pittsburgh, Pa.
Staley, John A., Pres. of Agt. & Trustee for Jos. Fleming & Son Co. Inc....410-412 Market st. and 3 Diamond sq....Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Bennett, James K....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Bennett, Richard R. Ag Geo. H. Bennett & Bros....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Crone, Gustavus E....332-334 First ave. and 333-335 Water st..Pittsburgh, Pa.
Doing business as Wm. H. Holmes Company....
Crone, Gustavus E. President & Rep. for and in behalf of Wm. H. Holmes Company...332-334 First ave. and 333-335 Water st....Pittsburgh, Pa.
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Finch, Catherine M. 513 Second ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Freeauf, Joseph F...409 Water st....Allegheny, Pa.
Forst, Morris....209 Smithfield st....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Gallinger, Myer B...430-432 First ave., extending back to 435-437 Water st....Allegheny, Pa.
Lewin, Robert....14 Smithfield st....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Jackson, Morris....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Rovnianek, Stephen G....318 Third ave....Allegheny, Pa.
Rusch, Ernest F....556-558 Second ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.
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Pollard, Richard....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Raphel, Rudolph....436-438 Seventh ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Adolph, Jacob....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Benedict, Herschel N....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schmidt, G. W....339-341 Fifth ave....Pittsburgh, Pa.
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BOOKS and BOOKMEN BY GEORGE SEIBEL

THE week has produced little except some new books of fiction, and nothing of overwhelming interest in that field. Irving Bacheller's "Silas Strong, Emperor of the Woods," is issued by Harper & Brothers. A new novel by George Horton, "The Edge of Hazard," is published by the Bobbs-Merrill Company. "The Day-Dreamer," by Jesse Lynch Williams, comes from the press of Charles Scribner's Sons. Other novels that appeared during the week were "Chat-Wit, the Man-Talk Bird," by Philip Verrill Mighels, published by Harpers, and "The Quickening," by Francis Lynde, issued by the Bobbs-Merrill Company.

Andrew Lang's volume on "Sir Walter Scott," in the Literary Lives series of Charles Scribner's Sons, should interest admirers of the Wizard who haven't time to read Lockhart's "Life," but is likely to have even greater interest for those that know Lockhart well. By students of theological problems, a translation of Otto Pfleiderer's "Christian Origins," published by B. W. Huebsch, will be welcomed.

Mrs. Burton Harrison, who has been spending the winter in Cannes, is planning to sail for home the last of April. She will, as usual, spend the summer at her home in Bar Harbor.

The new novel by A. E. W. Mason, author of "The Four Feathers," is to be called "Running Water." This is the first story which Mr. Mason, who now writes M. P. after his name, has written for two years, or since "The Truants" appeared. The scene of the forthcoming novel is laid in Europe.

MRS. BURNETT AND BOZ.

The Dawn of a Tomorrow. By Frances Hodgson Burnett. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. and Kaufmann's. 136 pages. Price, $1.25.

Whatever Mrs. Burnett writes has a magic of its own, but the source of that potent spell is quite clearly indicated as one reads her latest book. That source is Dickens. Sentiment and technique alike betray it. The description of a London fog, with which the story opens, might be from the pen of Boz himself. There is a chapter in "Great Expectations" which would afford some instructive comparisons. And doesn't Miss Minchin seem to have stepped out of "Bleak House" or some other of Dickens' many mansions?

However, we are not so much concerned with Dickens and Mrs. Burnett's relations to him as with her present work and its relation to what she has done. Here it must be confessed that the new book—it is a book by grace of padding and wide margins, otherwise it is an overgrown short story—does not come up to her best. It is rather palpably obvious that the man who skulked through the fog to find the pawnshop and buy the pistol which is to end his existence will run up against some adventure revealing that there are people more wretched than he, who bear their burdens gladly. And when he finally is led to Apple Blossom court by ragged little Glad (which is short for Gladys Beverly St. John, the name she had adopted, owning no other), we know just how the stage has been set for his arrival—know that the fire will be out, that the drunken woman and her baby will not be far off, and that the aged cripple dispensing the philosophy of contentment must be nearby. Everything turns out as expected.

There is an element of novelty, nevertheless, in the gospel preached by Miss Montaubyn, the aged cripple with a muste hall past and an almshouse future. Little Glad is just "cheerful," like any of Dickens' waifs might be; but Miss Montaubyn has a ponderous system of cheerfulness which seems to combine all the highest attributes of Pantheism and Andrew Carnegie. It is a sort of Christian Science version of "Ask and it shall be given unto you." Miss Montaubyn preaches a little too stridently and a little too long; she is plethoric of scripture texts and modern instances; the accident to the drunken woman occurs at too timely a moment to be quite credible; yet with all these things to discount the revelation that Antony Dart is the great financier, one accepts the little story—if only for the broad spirit of charity with which it typifies Whitman's words: "Until the sun excludes you, I shall not exclude you." It is a story that hits very near the heart.

MRS. FRANCES HODGSON BURNETT,
Author of "The Dawn of a Tomorrow."

THE WOLF BESIDE THE CRADLE.

The Bitter Cry of the Children. By John Spargo. New York: The Macmillan Company. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. and Kaufmann's. 357 pages, Illustrated. Price, $1.50.

Ghent's book on "Poverty" was startling, but Mr. Spargo's book on poverty as it affects child life is heart-rending. Perhaps the greed of parents is responsible to as large an extent as their destitution, but in whatever conditions the evil is rooted, there can be no doubt that it should be extirpated, root and branch. "Poverty," says Mr. Spargo, after presenting awful statistics of infant mortality, 80,000 baby lives lost in one year, "Poverty is the Herod of modern civilization, and Justice the warning angel calling upon society to arise and take the young child out of the reach of the monster's wrath." It is not race suicide that is the greatest danger, but this wanton waste of lives by race murder.

Mr. Spargo calls attention to one of the striking phenomena of the siege of Paris in '71. Though food was so scarce that people starved, though conditions were most unsanitary and danger lurked everywhere, infant mortality decreased by 49 per cent. because mothers were forced to stay at home. But in the crowded warrens of the poor, where the father frequently spends his earnings in a saloon, the havoc wrought by neglect or by the incompetence of caretakers is appalling. Mr. Spargo does not think very highly of the much-lauded "little mothers" in the slums.

So much of the problem may be laid at the door of misfortune. But presently we come to a phase of it which falls little short of crime. The years which ought to be given to growth and education are sold into slavery. A great war was fought before the 13th amendment became law of the land, but the worse evil of child slavery still flourishes. "Children of four years are found at work in the canning factories of New York state, and little girls of five and six years are found working by night in southern cotton mills." Mr. Spargo thinks the number of child workers under 15 is at least 2,250,000. Among these are "carry-in boys" in glass factories, lads under 12, who walk twenty-two miles during eight hours' work; breaker boys in mines, 10 and 12 years of age, breathing in asthma and consumption for from 50 to 60 cents a day; babies of 4 and 5 years who are taken from the kindergarten to make artificial flowers for sale. Mr. Spargo says that "in cities like Pittsburg it is not unusual for children, after attending school all day, to work from 4 p. m. to 12:30 a. m., making 'tobies' or 'stogies,' for which they receive from 8 to 10 cents per hundred."

Mr. Spargo's investigations tend to show that actual poverty is responsible for less than half the child labor. The other causes, however they may be disguised, are mostly reducible to the greed or ignorance of parents. The book is a first-hand study of conditions that, to use the Boer patriot's phrase, should "stagger humanity." Something must be done. Poverty in an adult is often his own fault—drunkenness, indolence, and other vices are to blame. The slavery of children, helpless and innocent, is not their own fault. It is a crime against them, against the state, against the human race. The legislator who stops it effectually will be named with Lincoln by the future ages.

A WISE AND WITTY PREACHER.

What Men Like in Women. By E. J. Hardy. New York: G. W. Dillingham Company. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. and Kaufmann's. 157 pages. Price, $1.

The Rev. E. J. Hardy wrote "How to Be Happy Though Married," and therefore has some claim to fame. Mr. Hardy still harps upon that theme, as may be seen from his report of a conversation at a seance between one of the sitters and one of the spirits, supposed to be the man's deceased wife:

"Is that you, 'Arriet?"
"Yes, it's me."
"Are you 'appy, 'Arriet?"
"Yes, very 'appy."
"'Appier than you was with me, 'Arriet?"
"Yes, much 'appier."
"Where are you, 'Arriet?"
"In 'ell."

However, Mr. Hardy also gives some seasonable counsel for all the year round on choosing a helpmate. He is of the same opinion almost as the Old Testament sage. "After sympathy," he says, "the feminine quality that takes first rank in the opinion, not perhaps of poets, but of ordinary men, is domesticity, or the power to make home comfortable; and when a woman can make one pound go as far as two in less competent hands, she is indeed a fortune in herself."

The volume abounds in quips and good humor. He quotes Dean Swift's reason for domestic infelicity, "because young women spend their time in making nets, not in making cages," and has an apt story, a witty comment, at every point. Best of all, he does not take himself too seriously, and does not preach—and this in a preacher must be accounted a maximum virtue.

TWO BOOKS ON CHRIST.

Jesus: an Unfinished Portrait. By Charles Van Norden. New York: Funk & Wagnalls Company. 295 pages. Price, $1.00.

The Twentieth Century Christ. By Paul Karishka. Boston: Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co. 295 pages. Price, $1.

The problem of the Divine Man still vexes the inquirer after truth, and such books as Messrs. Van Norden and Karishka have written will continue to come from the press in a steady stream. There is nothing in either book that might be called a new revelation. Mr. Van Norden's conception of the commonplace Christ—"a Jesus of the village, the fields and the shops"—has already been exploited by Renan, and his psychical hypothesis of Jesus' supernatural powers is a favorite resource of spiritualists, who claim Christ was a medium. Mr. Karishka, who is deeply read in oriental lore, proposes to "travel along the luminous Mahayana of Jesus, and if we discover Pythagoras, Plato and Gautama on the same march we shall feel no surprise nor embarrassment." More than this, he identifies the synthetic philosophy of Herbert Spencer with the doctrines of Buddha. Zoroaster and Spinoza, Chaung Yzu and Descartes are other links in a chain which is forged more ingeniously than ingenuously. At best, however, the book must be adjudged by its author's own words, "I seem to be in a jungle."

BACTERIA WE HAVE MET.

Canning and Preserving of Food Products with Bacteriological Technique. By Edward Wiley Duckwall, M. S. Pittsburgh: The Pittsburgh Printing Company. 459 pages, illustrated. Price, $5.00.

Mr. Duckwall, who is bacteriologist for the National Canners' Laboratory, and prominent among American scientists in bacteriological research, has written a practical handbook for manufacturers of food products, bacteriologists, chemists and students of food problems. Most of the works written about bacteria apply to medicine and surgery, though the spoiling of food products by ptomaines is a field of equal interest and results in large monetary losses. Such a work as Mr. Duckwall's is therefore almost priceless to anyone engaged in canning and preserving, as it describes all the various harmful bacteria and the way to combat them by sterilization. Special study has been given to the preserving of peas, tomatoes and corn. The various antiseptics and preservatives are considered, with their possible deleterious action upon the human organism. The work also has considerable interest for the microscopist, for it contains classifications and many admirable printed pictures of these minute fungi. These microphotographs, some of them magnified 1,500 and 2,000 diameters, will be found quite as thrilling as a Sherlock Holmes tale by the layman. The volume, by the way, with its nearly 200 illustrations, is a most creditable specimen of Pittsburgh typography.

LIKE ALICE IN WONDERLAND.

The Larky Furnace. By Hildegarde Brooks. New York: Henry Holt & Co. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. and Kaufmann's. 292 pages, illustrated. Price, $1.25.

Young folks and old folks who like "Alice in Wonderland" will also like Miss Brooks' story of the furnace that went out one night and was followed by little Sue Betty, who thus became a witness of all the dreadful pranks which roving furnaces may be guilty of, from stealing cordwood to starting forest fires. Sue Betty's adventures, alike with the furnaces, with pirates, with a moose, with a reincarnated cat, and other creatures, are illustrated with spirited drawings by Peter Newell. Miss Brooks has written one of the brightest and most captivating juveniles of this fantastic variety.

SENSATIONAL BUT READABLE.

The Financier. By Harris Burland. New York: G. W. Dillingham Company. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 352 pages, illustrated. Price, $1.50.

Melodrama, in which men alternately brandish revolvers, dirks and cheques for £46,555, is the main ingredient of Mr. Burland's new story. His hero is an empire-builder who, like Cecil Rhodes, "did this evil that good might come." All the characters of the story are impossible, the incidents improbable, yet it is readable and amusing. Mr. Gramphorn and the beautiful Juliet Aumerle, Mrs. Waldteufel and the insufferable Stanyon, are each a separate joy in their various poses and phrases, but Lady Dorothy, the "Ice Maiden," and Gramphorn's mother, who intercepts callers with notice that she is looking after his soul's salvation, are also worthy of all honor. Crude and sensational as the story is, it has dash, vigor and invention in no small measure.

IN MME. POMPADOUR'S DAYS.

No. 101. By Wymond Carey. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. and Kaufmann's. 373 pages. Price, $1.50.

The times of Madame de Pompadour and the intrigues of Versailles furnish the background of a dashing romance which revolves about a mysterious spy who sells the secrets of France to England. This traitor's communications are signed No. 101, with crossed daggers marked in blood, and the attempts to discover who it may be lead to many thrilling complications. After a succession of exciting episodes, which range from royal fainting spells to assassinations, and are interspersed with memories of Mme. Pompadour as a vivandiere, the mystery is solved. No. 101 is a woman; to say more would be unfair to readers of the tale, which is a pretty story in the manner of Dumas.

EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY.

The Principles of the Administrative Law in the United States. By Frank J. Goodnow. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 480 pages. Price, $3.

The great interest in administrative matters, aroused by the acts of a chief executive who believes in doing more than his duty, gives Mr. Goodnow's volume a timely value that may at first obscure its importance as a permanent contribution to our legal literature. He examines the relation of the executive to other authorities, legislative and judicial; the relations of centralized power to local constituents; the place of the senate, and similar executive councils; local administration in its relation to state control—in fact, all cases where powers may clash and authority confront authority. It is a sane and scholarly exposition of a many-sided controversy.

SYMBOLISM ON THE SURFACE.

The Marsh. By Bayard Boyesen. Boston: Richard G. Badger. 40 pages. Price, $1.00.

The influence of Maeterlinck is visible in this dramatic poem, but only on the surface. Its symbolism is buried under dreary dialogue which rarely rises to poetic heights. Luxander now and then contributes words like "abluent" and "laminarian," but even these fail to move us to pity or terror, the Aristotelian desiderata.

A VOLUME OF POE.

Selected Poems and Tales. By Edgar Allan Poe. New York: Silver, Burdett & Co. 188 pages.

Twenty-seven of Poe's poems and five of his best tales are collected in this volume, which has also a biographical sketch and critical estimate, a complete bibliography and some beautiful illustrations. It is a useful and handsome school edition.

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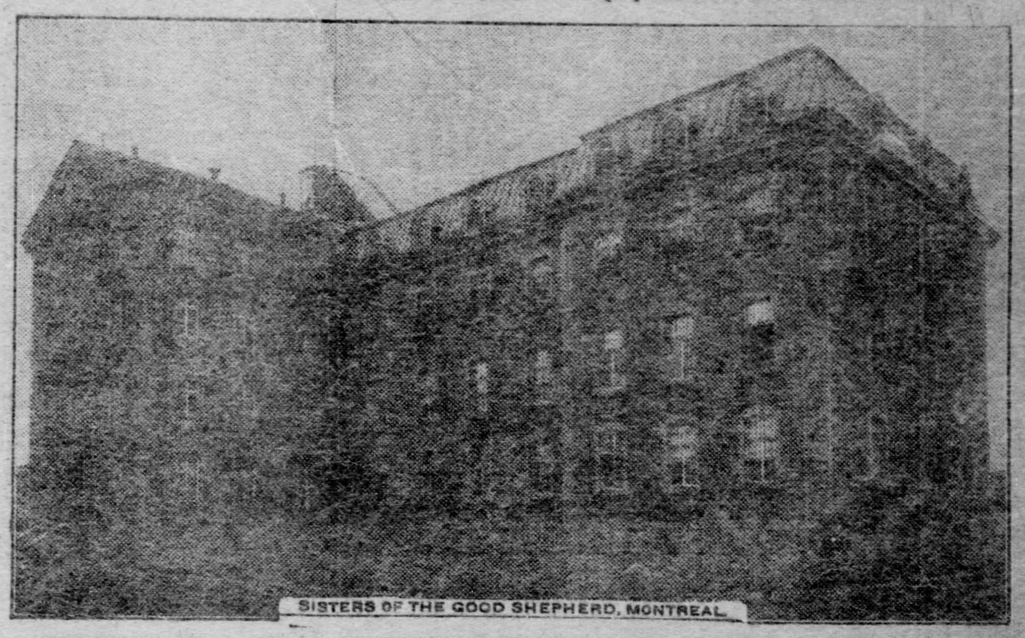

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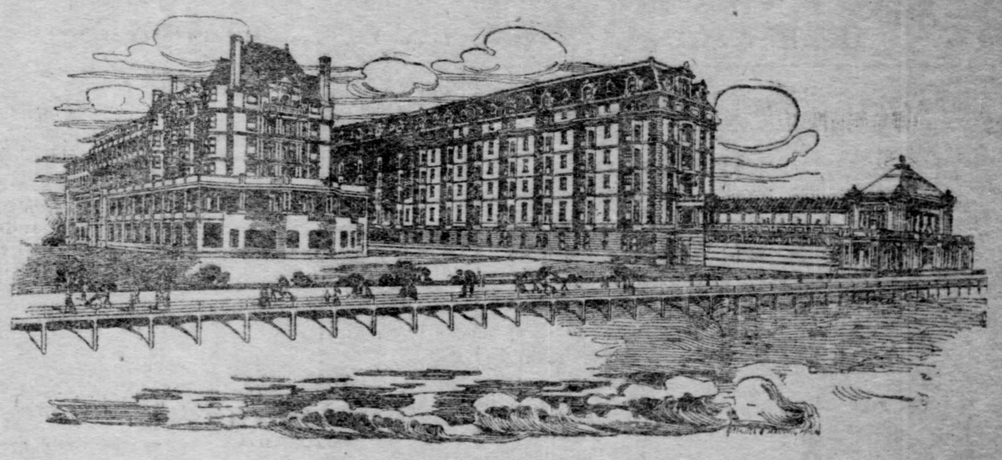

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IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

She shook her head with a painful gesture, and replied softly, "I know, sir, that the Count de Claudieuse has been the victim of a most infamous attempt at murder. I shall soon be without a husband, and my children without a father."

"But M. de Boiscoran is innocent, madam."

The features of the countess assumed an expression of profound surprise. "And who, then, is the murderer?" she said, looking fixedly at M. Folgat.

Ah! it cost the young advocate no small effort to prevent his lips from uttering the fatal "Yours" prompted by his indignant conscience. But he had to think of the success of his mission; and, instead of replying, he said: "To a prisoner, madam, to an unfortunate man on the eve of judgment, an advocate is a confessor, to whom he tells everything. I must add that the counsel of the accused is like a priest; he must forget the secrets confided to him."

"I do not understand you, sir."

"My client, madam, had a very simple means of proving his innocence. He had only to tell the truth. He has preferred risking his own honor, rather than to betray another person's honor."

The countess looked impatient. "My moments are limited, sir," she exclaimed hastily. "May I beg you to be more explicit?"

But M. Folgat had gone as far as he well could. "Madam," he said, "I am desired by M. de Boiscoran to hand you a letter."

The Countess de Claudieuse seemed overwhelmed with surprise. "A letter to me?" she said. "On what grounds?"

Without adding a word M. Folgat drew Jacques' letter from his pocketbook, and gave it to her. "Here it is!" he said.

She took it with a perfectly steady hand, and opened it slowly. But, as soon as she had run her eye over it, she rose, her face turned crimson, and, with flaming eyes, she cried, "Do you know, sir, what this letter contains?"

"Yes."

"Do you know that M. de Boiscoran dares to call me by my Christian name, Genevieve, as my husband and my father do?"

The decisive moment had now come. M. Folgat had retained all his self-possession. "M. de Boiscoran," said he, "claims that he used to call you so in former days—in the Rue des Vignes—in days when you called him Jacques."

The countess seemed utterly bewildered. "But that is sheer infamy, sir," she stammered. "What! M. de Boiscoran should have dared to tell you that I, the Countess de Claudieuse, was his—mistress?"

He certainly said so, madam, and he affirms that a few moments before the fire broke out, he was near you, and that, if his hands were blackened, it was because he had burned your letters and his."

She rose at these words, and in a penetrating voice replied—"And you could believe that—you? Ah! M. de Boiscoran's other crimes are nothing in comparison with this!

"He is not satisfied with having burnt our house, with having ruined us; he means to dishonor us as well. He is not satisfied with having nearly murdered my husband; he must ruin the honor of his wife also."

She spoke so loud, that her voice must have been distinctly heard in the vestibule. "Lower, madam, I pray you speak lower," said M. Folgat.

She cast upon him a withering glance, and raising her voice still higher, she went on—"Yes, I understand very well that you are afraid of being heard. But I—what have I to fear? I could wish the whole world to hear us, and to judge between us. Lower, you say? Why should I speak less loud? Do you think that if the Count de Claudieuse were not on his deathbed, this letter would not have long since been in his hands? Ah, he would soon obtain satisfaction for such an infamous letter. But I am a poor woman, and the world thinks that my husband is lost already. I am alone without a protector, without a friend."

"If it, madam, M. de Boiscoran pledges himself to the most perfect secrecy."

"Of secrecy! what secrecy? For your cowardly insults, your abominable plots, of which this, no doubt is but a beginning?"

M. Folgat turned livid under this insult. "Ah, take care, madam," he said, in a hoarse tone of voice, "we have proof, absolute, overwhelming proof."

The countess stopped him with an imperious gesture, and then with the naughtiest disdain replied—"Well, then, produce your proof. Go, hasten, act as you like. We shall see if the vile calumnies of an incendiary can stain an honest woman's reputation. We shall see if a single speck of the mire in which you wallow can reach me." And, throwing Jacques' letter at M. Folgat's feet, she went toward the door.

"Madam," said M. Folgat once more—"madam!" But she did not even condescend to turn round; she disappeared, leaving him standing in the middle of the room, so overcome with amazement that he could not collect his thoughts. Fortunately Dr. Seignebos came in.

"Upon my word!" he said, "I never thought the countess would take my treachery so coolly. When she came out from you just now, she asked me, in the same tone as usual, how I had found her husband, and what was to be done. I told her—— The rest of the sentence remained unspoken, for the doctor had become aware of M. Folgat's utter consternation. "What on earth is the matter?" he asked.

The young advocate looked at him with an utterly bewildered air. "This is the matter: I ask myself whether I am awake or dreaming. This is the matter: that if this woman is guilty, she possesses an audacity beyond all belief."

"How, if? Have you changed your mind about her guilt?"

M. Folgat looked altogether disheartened. "Ah!" he said, "I hardly know myself. Do you not see that I have lost my head, that I do not know what to think, and what to believe? And yet, doctor, I am not a simpleton. I have now been pleading five years in criminal courts; I have had to dive down into the lowest depths of society; I have seen strange things, met with exceptional specimens of human nature, and heard fabulous stories——"

It was the doctor's turn, now, to be amazed; and he actually forgot to trouble his gold spectacles. "Why? What did the countess say?" he asked.

"I might tell you every word," replied M. Folgat, "and you would be none the wiser. You ought to have been here, and seen her and heard her! What a woman! Not a muscle in her face moved; her eye remained limpid and clear, there was no emotion in her voice. And with what an air she defied me! But, doctor, let us go!"

They went out, and were already a third of the way down the long garden avenue, when they saw the countess' elder daughter coming toward them, on her way to the house, accompanied by her governess. Dr. Seignebos stopped, and pressing the young advocate's arm, he whispered into his ear, "Mind! say nothing. You know that truth comes out of children's mouths."

"What do you expect?" murmured M. Folgat.

"To settle a doubtful point. Hush! Let me manage it!"

By this time the little girl had reached them. She was a graceful child, eight or nine years old, light-haired, with large blue eyes, tall for her age, and evidently intelligent. "How are you, my little Martha?" said the doctor, in his gentlest voice.

"Good morning, gentlemen!" she replied with a nice little courtesy.

Dr. Seignebos bent down to kiss her rosy cheeks, and then, looking at her, he said, "You look sad, Martha."

"Yes, because papa and little sister are ill," she replied, with a deep sigh.

"And also because you miss Valpinson?"

"Oh, yes!"

"Still it is pretty here, and you have a large garden to play in."

She shook her head, and, lowering her voice, replied, "It is certainly very pretty here, but—I am afraid."

"Afraid of what, my little one?"

She pointed to the statues, and shuddering, replied, "In the evening, when it grows dark, I fancy they are moving. I think I see people hiding behind the trees, like the man who wanted to kill papa."

"You ought to drive away those ugly notions, Mademoiselle Martha," said M. Folgat.

But Dr. Seignebos did not allow him to go on. "What, Martha?" he said, "I did not know you were so timid. I thought on the contrary you were very brave. Your papa told me that on the night of the fire you were not afraid of anything."

"Papa was right."

"And yet, when you were aroused by the flames, it must have been terrible."

"Oh! it was not the flames that woke me, doctor."

"Still the fire had broken out."

"I was not asleep, doctor. I woke when mama slammed the bedroom door as she came in."

One and the same presentiment made M. Folgat and the doctor tremble. "You must be mistaken, Martha," said the practitioner. "Your mamma had not gone out at the time of the fire."

"Oh, yes, sir!"

"No, you are mistaken."

The little girl drew herself up with that solemn which children are apt to assume when their statements are doubted. "I am quite sure of what I say," she replied, "and I remember everything perfectly. I had been put to bed at the usual hour, and as I was very tired with playing, I fell asleep at once. While I was asleep, mamma had gone out, but her coming back woke me up. As soon as she came in, she bent over little sister's bed, and looked at her for a moment so sadly I thought I should cry. Then she went and sat down by the window; and from my bed, where I lay watching her, I saw the tears running down her cheeks, when all of a sudden a shot was fired."

M. Folgat and Dr. Seignebos, looked anxiously at each other. "Then, my little one," insisted Dr. Seignebos, "you are quite sure your mamma was in your room when the first shot was fired."

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 31.7 feet and the river was rising.

CINCINNATI, O., March 16.—(Special.)—At 6 p. m. the Ohio river was 22.8 feet and rising. The thaw of the past few days has had its effect on the river. It has risen several feet. The Henry Lowry was let off the Queen City ways today. When the vessel hit the water the hog chains broke again and the boat had to be pulled back again for the same fault which landed her on the docks before. The John B. Williams passed up today from New Orleans for Pittsburgh with a tow of empties. The Jim Wood passed up early this morning for Pittsburgh with a tow of empties. The J. B. Lewis arrived at noon with a mixed tow of coal and salt from the Kanawha. Cloudy and warmer.

WHEELING—River 7 feet 6 inches and rising. Departed, Ben Hur, Parkersburg, 8 a. m.; Virginia, Pittsburgh, 9 a. m.; Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, 10 p. m.

LOUISVILLE—River rising; in canal, 7.6; on the falls, 5.4; below locks, 18.2. Partly cloudy and cold.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 6 inches and falling. Cold and snowing.

MORGANTOWN—River 20 feet and falling. Snowy.

MARIETTA—River 11½ feet and falling. Snow. Ben Hur down at noon.

GREENSBORO—River 16 feet 5 inches and falling. Three inches of snow here and still snowing.

WARREN—River 1 foot 2 inches and falling. Clear and cold.

POINT PLEASANT—River 23 feet 3 inches and rising. Snowing. Down, Queen City. Up, Kanawha, Douglass Hall, Sam Clark.

PARKERSBURG—River 14 feet and rising. Clear and cold. The Little Kanawha is falling above but is still too high for navigation.

STEUBENVILLE—River 8 feet 6 inches and rising. Up, Virginia.

GALLIPOLIS—River 26 feet and rising. Cold.

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And wild flowers are now the food of Pittsburghers who eat McCann's creamery butter. 413-415 Market st.

LICENSE COURT WANTS THE FACTS

Judge McClung Warns Remonstrants That Outside Influence Will Not Count.

HOSTETTER ACCOUNT ON FILE

All attempts to influence the license court outside the regular channel—that of filing remonstrances with the clerk of courts—will be entirely useless. Judge McClung, who may sit in license court alone this session, gave notice to this effect from the bench yesterday. He said he had received four remonstrances that should have been filed in the regular way in the clerk of court's office. He also said no judge would pay any attention to anonymous communications or those signed by unknown persons. What the license courts wants is facts, he said, and these are what should be furnished by objectors. This notice assures all saloon keepers and applicants that what is said against them in open court will alone influence the court, and gives them a fair chance to defend themselves.

The first and final account of the estate of Rosetta R. Hostetter shows that a partial distribution of the estate, which is a very large one, has already been made among the heirs. The accountant charges himself with $8,605,679.30, the bulk of which is made up of the amount of the inventory and appraisement of the personal estate, $5,463,643.38. Credits of $4,737,465.20 are claimed, and the account shows $1,009.48 of fees and incidental costs, are to be paid out of the balance for present distribution, $848,872.54.

A hearing was held before Judge Young in the injunction proceedings of the Lutz & Schramm Company of Allegheny, against T. J. Minahan, the Teamsters' union, No. 314, and the Iron City Central Trades council to prevent a boycott on their goods. Attorney J. Scott Ferguson introduced evidence that the firm had been placed on the unfair list by the labor organizations and boycott stickers posted throughout the two cities, but it was not shown who had been responsible for the stickers being issued. A restraining order was issued until March 21, when a further hearing will be held in the case.

Judge Kennedy sent most of the children before him in juvenile court back to their parents with a severe lecture. He said the parents were responsible for the acts of their children, and that he regretted it was impossible to punish them as the real offenders in many cases.

Herman A. Schultz secured a verdict of $2,500 against the city of Pittsburgh. His left leg was broken by his stepping in a hole in the pavement on alighting from a car at Fifth and Highland avenues.

In the case of A. S. Hunter and others against Frank Cohn & Co., it was agreed the preliminary injunction should be dissolved on the defendant agreeing not to remove certain fixtures in building at 447 Wood street. Daniel Cohn, a member of the firm, was purged of contempt on payment of the costs of an attachment issued for him.

Executions issued: J. H. Harnett, use vs. Lena Kiefer et al., $3,314; Mrs. Anna M. Tennell vs. Charles H. Camp, $4,819; Ann Baughman vs. Ellsworth W. Houston, notice $10,679; Confidence Building and Loan association vs. Frank A. Taylor, notice $1,623; Home Mutual Building and Loan association vs. R. N. Peake $1,466; Laurence Building and Loan association vs. Walter S. Yates, $4,593; George H. Shickler vs. James Weri, $1,841; Margaret F. Gillillan vs. Edward L. Gue, $2,636; Pittsburgh Trust Company vs. W. D. Reinhcan, $1,331; Louise M. Relger vs. William C. Hastage et al., notice, $6,622; William Leuhse, guardian, use, vs. C. W. Haslage et al., notice, $3,250; Samuel Ray vs. Edward M. Beitz, notice, $4,362.

Arnold Daly at Belasco.

Arnold Daly's company undoubtedly will be greeted by a large and fashionable audience at the Belasco theater when they begin their engagement Monday night in Bernard Shaw's bright comedy, "You Never Can Tell." "You Never Can Tell" will be repeated at every performance with the exception of Thursday night and the Saturday matinee, when, by special request, Mr. Daly will appear as Eugene, the poet, in his famous production of "Candida," with Miss Chrystal Herne in the title role.

Pittsburgh Operators Seem to Have Struck It Rich in Illinois

Pittsburgh operators are in line to make a big winning in the Illinois field. South of Casey, 15 miles, in the edge of Crawford county, the Benedum-Trees Oil Company and G. F. Braden have completed a well out on the P. Bennett farm. The well did not have gas pressure enough to make it flow and it was put to pumping and produced 120 barrels the first 18 hours. The location of this test is miles in advance of and production. In the same county—the Benedum-Trees Oil Company has completed a wildcat on the Cox farm and the well is flowing 100 barrels a day. Operations in the field have been almost suspended on account of the bad roads. A prominent operator who returned from Casey yesterday stated that all of the wells in the field would have to be shut down. The purchasing company had given order that it could take no more oil for at least three weeks and gave as the reason the bad condition of the railroad over which the oil had to be transported from the field to the refinery. The road bed, it is claimed, is in such condition that the road will not admit of heavy hauling. All through the country, the operator stated, the roads are in an impassible condition and the hundreds of operators gathered at Casey and Robinson stay at the hotels and do not try to get out to the field. There are operators there from all parts of the country. Some from as far west as the territories. Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana are well represented.

Nearly all of the wells in the lower southwest fields reported drilling in the sand and showing light. Some of the late completions, however, are holding up creditably. On Point Pleasant creek, Tyler county, the Southern Oil Company's No. 1 on the R. A. Workman farm is still holding up at 300 barrels and the Lincoln Oil Company's No. 1 on the M. L. Workman farm at 125 barrels a day. In the Fairview district, Marion county, the South Penn Oil Company's No. 5 on the M. E. Brookover farm is producing 150 barrels and No. 1 on the Andrew Conway farm 110 barrels a day. In the Folsom district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 58 on the Genine Robinson tract into the stray 15 feet and has a light show of oil. In the Salem district, Harrison county, the same company has drilled its second test on the Clyde Bailey farm into the top of the Gordon and has a light show of oil.

On Kinchelowe creek, Lewis county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the J. A. Fox farm into the Big Injun and has a 15-barrel pumper. In the same district, the same company is drilling in the Big Injun at its test on the A. A. Haught farm. No oil or gas has been encountered. Near Bula, Monongalia county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the Marion Tennant farm through the Big Injun sand and found that formation barren. Near Wick on Sugar creek Meade district, Tyler county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its second test on the Ruth Owens farm into the Big Injun and has a show for a producer. Drilling has been suspended to move back the boiler.

On the Ohio side, in the Big Lime district, near Jerusalem, Monroe county, P. L. Mooney has completed a second test on the William Shepard farm and has a show for a 20-barrel producer in the Big Lime. In the same district W. F. Borchers & Company have drilled their second test on the Alonzo Hoops farm into the same formation and have a show for a 10 or 15-barrel pumper. In the Woodsfield district, in the same county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its second test on the S. L. Mooney farm into the Berea grit and has a very light pumper. In the same district the Pure Oil Producing Company has drilled its second test on the John Feldner farm through the Berea grit and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. In the Wolf Creek district, Washington county, the Pure Oil Producing Company has drilled its No. 17 on the M. Thornly farm into the shallow sand and will have a producer good for 100 barrels a day or better.

Near Harrietsville, Noble county, nearly all of the late completions have proven dusters. Todd Bros. have completed Nos. 5 and 6 on the J. F. Burkhart farm and have a brace of dusters. T. J. Smithberger has completed Nos. 5 and 6 on his own farm and both are dry. N. S. Burton has completed a test on the William Wernicke farm and has a duster. This and the wells previously mentioned were drilled through the Buell Run sand. In the same district, the Taylor Oil Company has drilled its No. 11 on the Jacob Crock farm through the 800-foot sand and has a duster. Eichorn, E. Stadt & Company have drilled a test on the Jacob Shafer farm through the 800-foot sand and have a duster.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 15	42,834	March 14	84,963
Previously	895,634	Previously	782,850
Total	938,518	Total	867,783
Daily average	62,450	Daily average	61,984

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 15	64,749	March 14	48,573
Previously	835,064	Previously	464,844
Total	899,813	Total	513,417
Daily average	59,988	Daily average	36,673

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1.58, Tiona, $1.68; Second Sand, $1.58; Cabell, $1.18; Corning, $1.15; New Castle, $1.85; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 88c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 85c; Ragland, 55c. The Producers & Refiners Company quotes $1.58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, March 16.—Credit balances $1.68. Shipments 42,834; average 62,501; runs 84,971; average 61,998. Shipments, Lima 4,750; average 59,988; runs, 48,534; average, 36,673.

TOLEDO, March 16.—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

CONANT'S BODY HERE.

Well-Knwon Amusement Manager Will Be Buried Today.

The body of James W. Conant, who died Wednesday in New York, arrived in this city yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, and was removed to the undertaking establishment of J. J. Flannery, in Grant street, later being taken to his late residence, 110 Gist street. The funeral will take place this morning at 10 o'clock and the interment will be private.

Mrs. Conant is prostrated and the dead man's mother is heartbroken over the affair. Neither would be seen yesterday. Mrs. Stone, a sister of the widow, has taken charge of the affairs at Mrs. Conant's home, she said: "If Mr. Conant paid attention to any woman besides his wife we know nothing of it. Mrs. Conant never suspected her husband of any wrong doing."

Many Demand the Death Penalty.

NEW CASTLE, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—The news of the respite granted by Gov. Pennypacker today to Murderer Frank Johnson, who was to have been executed here next Monday, is not received here with much satisfaction. The fact many murders have occurred here during recent years without one conviction and execution has aroused public sentiment to demand the death penalty.

BUILDERS OPPOSE DEMANDS.

Consider the Demands of Carpenters, Painters and Machinists.

An executive session of the Builders' Exchange league was held yesterday afternoon, when the demands made by building trades unionists were taken under consideration. Strong opposition was expressed.

The carpenters' demand for a 50-cent-a-day advance, an increase from $3.50 to $4, effective May 1. The painters ask for a uniform scale of $3.60 per day throughout the county. At present they receive this rate in the city and from $3 to $3.40 in the rural districts. The machinists have made the same demand.

New Oil Company for Meadville.

DOVER, DEL., March 16—(Special.)—A certificate of incorporation was filed here today for the Mt. Morris Petroleum Company of Meadville, Pa., to buy, sell and deal in land for the production of oil, gas, etc. Incorporators: A. H. Russell, C. C. Cogswell of Meadville, Pa.; John C. Winters of Mt. Morris, N. Y. Capital stock, $100,000.

Wabash System
$42.00
to San Francisco, Los Angeles and other Pacific coast points. Tickets on sale daily until April 7.

KICKS AND CURSES SHOWERED ON HER

Daughter of Gen. Izmailovich Receives Horribly Cruel Treatment from the Police.

RELIGIOUS WAR AT LESHNO

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 16.—The case of the daughter of Gen. Izmailovich, who was condemned to death March 2, her sentence later being commuted to life imprisonment, has created a sensation.

Mlle. Izmailovich has succeeding in sending out a letter from her prison, describing her horrible treatment after the attempt to kill the governor of Minsk, as a result of which her accomplice, Ivan Rulkoff, was executed.

Miss Izmailovich says the police kicked her into insensibility and subsequently at the police station tore off her clothes, subjected her to indignities, beat and cursed her, spat in her face and struck her with such force on the side of her head that an eardrum was broken.

A local paper today printed statistics showing that 257 executions occurred in Russia during the month of January.

The author of the anti-Jewish circulars was M. Levroff, an employe of the ministry of the interior, holding a rank in the official hierarchy equivalent to counsellor of state. He is the leader of "The League of the Russian People." He has been dismissed from the service and arrested and will be prosecuted.

KAZAN, RUSSIAN POLAND, March 16.—Two policemen of this city have been sentenced to a year's imprisonment at hard labor for maltreating a woman.

LESHNO, RUSSIAN POLAND, March 16.—Members of the new Catholic sect, known as the Mariavits, today beat two orthodox priests who were sent by the bishop to close their church. The orthodox Catholics sided with the priests and a general fight ensued during which twenty persons were wounded.

COMMISSIONERS WILL PASS ON ALL EXTRAS

In Future Road Engineer Will Not Be Privileged to Change the Specifications.

In the future no change can be made in the specifications for county road building without the approval of the county commissioners. This action was taken yesterday by the commissioners. In the past the road engineer has been privileged to allow "extras."

The commissioners devoted a good part of yesterday to signing the new issue of $1,500,000 worth of road bonds. The first installment of $750,000 will be received Monday from the purchasers, N. W. Harris & Co. of New York. The balance will be paid on March 30.

Delegations appeared before the commissioners yesterday to ask for the improvement of the Greensburg pike from Turtle Creek to the Westmoreland county line, and for the rebuilding of the unimproved portion of the Library road. Mr. Price said the work could not be done this year.

The road engineer has been instructed to widen the macadam on the Clinton road through the village of Clinton from 14 feet to 20 feet. The estimated cost is $465.

The commissioners joined with the Leetsdale council, asking for the improvement of 300 feet of road, with state aid, near that village.

Bernard Hass was appointed register assessor in the Fifteenth district of the Nineteenth ward.

Surprised.

An epicurean in teas and cheeses was quite astonished at the exclusive goods sold by McCann & Co., 413-415 Market st.

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

Doing Better Than Ever for Boys

WE'VE learned to do by doing. We've profited from our years of experience in outfitting little men. What the boys want we give them, without losing sight of what the parents insist on. A better-than-ever assortment and better-than-ever clothes characterize our Spring stock. Smarter styles. Better materials. More expert tailoring.

Whether you've just a dollar or so, or many dollars to spend, you can do best at "The Big Store" nine times out of ten.

See What $5 Does

For Little Chaps—The cutest, cunningest little sailors, Russians and Buster Browns the little fellows ever wore. Splendidly made of fine covert cloth, broadcloth, fancy worsteds and all shades of serge. Some with large sailor collars—others with Buster Brown or standing collars. The sizes begin at 2½.

$5

For Bigger Boys—Double-breasteds and Norfolks. The coats longer than last year, with the new single or double vent in back and faced bottom, the trousers being lined and fitting splendidly. Materials comprise fancy worsteds, cassimeres, cheviots, serges and thibets, in a wide diversity of patterns and colors.

A Special Group of Overgarments

The manly little Topcoats, the new Auto Coats and the regulation Spring Reefers. Made of tan covert cloths and navy or royal blue and fancy gray materials—every garment worth at least dollar and a half more than its price..... **3.00**

Suits, too, at 3.00. Real fine and stylish ones.

"Self-Conforming" Derbies

Made Expressly for "The Big Store" by the John B. Stetson Co. and the "Imperial" Hatters.

Nothing nobbier out yet for Spring. Rather full in the crown, with just enough curl to the brim to give it a graceful outline. And no matter what the shape of your head you can secure a perfect fit—the hat quickly adapting itself to any peculiarities of your cranium. And being made by a new cravenetted process, these hats are strictly waterproof. Although $4 and $5 values, our prices are..... **2.90 & 3.50**

Here We Are With Spring Styles

As usual we open the new season with certain features of extraordinary strength which in the battle of business may be called "our fighting lines." This Spring, we place the most stress on our

$10 AND $15 LINES

What the 1906 Suits Are Like

In the new suits for 1906 there is a discernible shaping in of the coats just above the pocket flaps, which gives the skirts a bell-shape or flare over the hips. Coats range in length from 31 to 34 inches, with peak lapels, the graceful shoulder slope, side vents, center vents or no vents at all, and close-fitting collars.

Many new novelty weaves this season appear both in the imported woolens and in the American woolens, which duplicate foreign effects so well. The fashionable gray shades will be the pronounced leaders—the novelty effects running largely to over-plaids, checks and mixtures. The plain blacks and blues in unfinished worsteds and various other cloths likewise hold their own.

Finer Suits for Those Who Want Them Up to $35.

The Overgarments That Have the Call

In circles where fashion is followed, most closely the overgarment most in evidence this spring will be the new shapely French-back coat, cut three-quarter length, in cheviots, coverts, vicunas and undressed worsteds. Gray will be the leading color and will find expression in single and double herringbone stripes, diagonal weaves and plain effects. These coats are closely form-fitting.

The Topcoats at 10.00 and 15.00 this year likewise tend toward the semi-form-fitting back, with wide lapels and collars. The favorite materials are coverts, whipcords, worsteds and vicunas, in the new shades of gray, oxford and tan—herringbone, diagonal and plain weaves. Still others in black and oxfords, cheviots or undressed worsteds.

Fine Overgarments at $18, $20, $25 and up to $35.

New Fancy Vests

The fancy Vests and the white ones for the coming spring and summer show so many new ideas in weaves, dots, figures and colorings that the men who delight in novelties of dress will have a wide chance to choose from our line. Prices range from 1.25 upward.

Trousers Trim and Shapely

At 1.98—Spring garments, in good American woolens, whose weaves, colors and general effect, as well as wearing qualities, stamp them as the grades which usually retail at $3.

At 3.50—Finer, dressier Men's Pants in the same, dependable cloths used in men's $15 and $18 Suits, as well as in weaves made for these garments only. Others are asking $5 for trousers no better.

The New Raincoats

If you want something particularly "swell" see the new cravenetted Paddocks in spring weights cut form-fitting and selling for 18.00 and upward. Other Raincoats in the best water shedding materials, in black, oxford and the new shades of gray, at 10.00 and 15.00. Finer ones up to 36.00.

Machines That Talk

THEY tell funny stories, sing comic and classical songs, reproduce bands, orchestras, etc., and otherwise entertain and amuse yourself, family and friends. This disk machine many folks have paid $15 for, with a fine oak cabinet, special here Saturday for..... **6.50**

Symphony Records—10-inch Disk Records, equal in clearness, tone and wearing qualities to the best 60c records—in all the old favorite standard and the very newest selections—down in price to..... **28c**

Morning Glory Horns—all shades—32x24-in. size, worth $2.50, for 1.45. The 25x18-inch, worth $1.75, for..... **1.05**

Record Cabinets—Every kind that's made, in all the different woods—**6.50 to 50.00**

24-peg Cylinder Record Carrying Cases, worth $3, for..... **1.25**

A Truthful Fish Story

Codfish Middles—Gorton's finest quality, pound, 15c.
Boneless Codfish—"Jappy" brand, pound bricks, 10c.
Threaded Codfish—"Red Seal"—dozen 15c, package, 4c.
Picked Codfish—Gorton's—package, 10c.
Whole Codfish—Extra fancy—pound 10c.
Lake Herring—10-pound pails 65c.
White Fish—10-pound pails, 70c.
Lobster—"Shield" brand 1-pound flat cans—dozen 2.50, can 32c.
Salmon—best Columbia River—pound tall cans—dozen 2.10, can 18c.
Clam Chowder—Burnham's quart cans—dozen 1.70, can 16c.
Norwegian Fish Balls—dozen 2.85, can 25c.

RUBBER SALE

SNOW and slush and leaky or thin shoes are a bad combination. Colds, pneumonia, la grippe, etc., are worse. It's easy to provide your feet with the needed protection while this sale is on.

Women's Croquet Rubbers—regularly 60c—this sale..... **39c**

Men's Storm Overshoes—regularly $1.00—this sale..... **59c**

Men's "Everstick" Rubbers—regularly $1—this sale..... **87c**

Men's One-buckle Arctics—regularly $1.59—this sale..... **89c**

Women's Eight-Button Arctics—regularly $2.50—this sale..... **1.50**

Children's Two-buckle Arctics—regular $1.58—this sale..... **68c**

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

SPRING'S LATEST

Styles to Please Every Taste

Made Right and Priced Right

Shirts for Men

Coat Shirts—Another new lot ready for Saturday. They're too good to tarry here long. Every one made to our order. Easy to get on and off, and in point of style they're all you could wish for. Made of fine oxfords and woven madras. Patterns are entirely new—plain colors, neat stripes or checks. They're real $1.50 shirts selling for 50c less..... **1.00**

"Our Own" Shirts—Made coat style, with cuffs attached—every one bearing the Kaufmann label. They're much better than the ordinary "dollar-fifty" shirts, and being made especially for us, you'll find them here and nowhere else. Made of the prettiest of madras, in exclusive patterns—swell stripes, dainty dots and two-tone checks. All sizes at..... **1.50**

Steel Gray Shirts—Men of critical taste and knowledge of what's what, will see at a glance that these are entirely new and "different." A big variety at $2. Here's a dandy: A rich new steel gray, made in a two tone plaid, with all the good points of a custom-made shirt. Why not get yours before the "other fellow" does his? They cost..... **2.00**

How We Help Men to Smoke More or Better CIGARS

Tom Keenes—A Cigar of high repute, sold everywhere for 5c, our special Saturday price, per box of 50 for 1.45, or..... **8 for 25c**

Havana "Lady" Perfectos—A strictly long filler hand made domestic cigar, of fine aroma, splendidly blended—5c everywhere, our special Saturday price, box of 50 for 1.00, or..... **10 for 25c**

Six 25c Cigars for 25c—1 Continental, 1 Hoffman House, 1 Roquet, 1 Robert Bonner, 1 Thomas Jefferson and 1 Social Life.

Havana Land Invincibles box of 25 for 1.25.

Robert Bonner 10c Perfectos, box of 50 for 2.95.

Pollock's 3-for-5 Tubes, 20 for 25c.

Purveyor Seed Stogies, round box of 100 for 1.00.

Pollock's Wheeling Experts, 2-for-5c size, box of 50 for 1.00.

Pollock's 5-for-10c Stogies, box of 50 for 1.95.

Polar Bear Tobacco, 5 lbs. 1.25. Five Brothers, 5 lbs. 1.50.

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IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS

COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

NEW MEN SHOWING UP SATISFACTORILY

Nealan, Moskiman and Sheehan Make Good Impressions on the Pittsburgh Colony.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., March 16.—(Special.)—With the thermometer registering two degrees above the freezing point this morning and only 36 degrees above zero this afternoon, the Pittsburgh Pirates practiced today. Some of the regulars demurred at practice, claiming the weather conditions would render practice injurious rather than beneficial. As if to silence their contentions the new recruits showed all kinds of ginger and livened Whittington park up with speedy work.

Old Sam Leever, who seldom thaws out before a two-weeks' sojourn here, appeared to catch the gingery contagion from the young ones. He handed out a few speedy ones that cut the frosty atmosphere like a knife. Joe Cantillion, who is down here looking for desirable talent for Milwaukee, was standing behind the backstop while Leever was making a noble effort to batter it down.

"That's more steam than I ever knew you to show in Augusta, Sam," said Cantillion.

"I've got to show something while you're looking on," replied the professor. "Just look at that bunch behind me," said the sage of Goshen, pointing out the 10 twirlers who are trying for permanent places on the pitching staff.

Leach, Wagner, Ritchey and Clymer all complain of soreness resulting from two days' practice and they all blame the cold weather for it. Fred Clarke says he will work the men this tomorrow and then allow them a full day's rest on Sunday. Monday the daily practice games will begin.

The entire Pittsburgh colony here turned out today and took a "pike" at the crowd of recruits. Nealon made a favorable impression on them. He is the biggest man on the team, but is splendidly proportioned and there is no suggestion of clumsiness in his movements. He has a good style, throws well from any position and handles his bat in a way that is encouraging. Moskiman and Sheehan also pleased the Pittsburghers, and Joe Cantillion, who saw them work on the coast, says they are both good men.

After practicing throwing for some time, the men were put to batting and base running and they kept Charlie Case and the new infielders busy for an hour or more.

Capt. Clarke on the firing line appeared to be everywhere with directions and suggestions. Clarke received a letter today from Harry Smith stating that he will report here next Monday. Smith expects no trouble from his arm, but Clarke would not pass an opinion, stating that he can tell better after he sees the old backstop at work.

Archer is expected to come from his home in Canada either Saturday or Sunday. This will account for all the men under contract except Catcher Peitz and Pitcher Karger. Whether or not the former will report here is purely a matter of conjecture.

President Dreyfuss has a letter from Karger inclosing a newspaper account of a game which he won for San Antonio from St. Louis. He states that he is to receive $35 for pitching another game next Sunday and that he will be in Hot Springs on the following day. Local interest in the club appears to be greater than last spring, and if inquiries count as to when practice games will begin, the daily attendance at Whittington park will be large.

PERCY PRESTON WINS RACE IN EASY FASHION

Blonde-Haired Youth Spread Eagles His Field—Officials Queer the Relay Event.

Percy Preston of Shadyside academy won the one mile race for boys of 16 years and under last night at Duquesne garden, in commanding fashion, from a field of fast youngsters. The time, 3:41½, was good considering the amount of jockeying the boys did in the early stages of the journey.

When the time came for a sprint Preston pulled away from the field and won by eight lengths. Edwin Coyle was second and Harold Kerr, another Shadyside boy, was third.

Preston won his heat easily, but was in danger of being counted out on account of the incompetency of the officials. Preston won by two laps, but the judges got him confused with other skaters and declared lapped. Preston's friends had to come to his rescue and show the officials where they erred. The work of the officials was uniformly bad. The relay race was a rank failure because the officials failed to get the men off properly and their inability to detect fouls and other infringements of the rules. The race was called off before it was completed. The two teams were composed of fast skaters, however. The teams were made up of Alan Bright, Murdock, Allender and Davidson in one team, and Ebensberger, Kock, Amsler and Phillips in another. The summaries of the boys' race:

First heat—Edwin Coyle, first; H. C. Knapp, Jr., second; I. S. Alter, third. Time, 3:45 4-5. Second heat—Percy Preston, first; Walter Owston, second; Harold Kerr, third. Time, 3:47 2-5. Third heat—J. P. Steinman, first; Park Wright, second; M. C. White, third. Time, 3:53 3-5. Final heat—Preston, won; Coyle, second; Kerr, third. Time, 3:41½.

Tonight the race for the one mile open championship of Pennsylvania, and the half mile for boys under 12 will be skated.

Grove City Schedule.

GROVE CITY, PA., March 16.—The baseball schedule for Grove City college has been announced as follows: April 20, W. U. P. at Grove City; April 30, Allegheny college at Meadville; May 3 and 4, Washington and Jefferson at Grove City; May 7, Slippery Rock normal at Slippery Rock; Ivy Day (probably May 10), Seniors vs. Juniors; May 12, Carnegie Tech. at Grove City; May 16, Waynesburg college at Grove City; May 21, open; May 23, Carnegie Tech. at Pittsburgh; May 23, Waynesburg college at Waynesburg; May 24 and 25, W. and J. at Washington; May 26, open; May 28, Slippery Rock normal at Grove City; May 30, Marietta at Grove City; June 2, Fredonia Institute at Fredonia; June 4, Allegheny college at Grove City; June 11, Fredonia Institute at Grove City; June 12, open; June 13, College vs. Alumni.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The Torrances want a game for Thursday, March 23, 1906. Write Wm. Trautman, P. O. box 1393, Pittsburgh.

The Young Americans of Homestead and the South Side teams will meet at Odd Fellows hall tonight, in the first game of the series which will settle the undisputed championship of Western Pennsylvania.

DeHaven will play W. U. P. Dental department at DeHaven tonight. St. John's seconds will meet the DeHaven Juniors in a preliminary.

The Knoxville five will play the Windoms of the South Side tonight at Young's hall.

The Perrysville Reserves and Sycamore Reserves meet tonight at the Phipp gymnasium in the first game of the series for the championship of Allegheny county.

The Center A. C.'s would like to hear from all 15-year-old teams. Address Edward Pretch, Jr., No. 1329 River avenue, Esplen.

The Clover Leaf team will play the Leetsdale Reserves at Leetsdale tonight.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Lyceum A. C. will meet Sunday afternoon at the Lyceum club.

The Hoffman A. C. will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at 116 Sylvan street.

The Belmonts will meet this evening at the corner of Belmont and Rebecca streets.

There is a baseball club in Allegheny known as the Original North Side A. C. and it would like to book games with all out of town amateur clubs having grounds. Address A. Kim, 1106 Linden street, Allegheny.

ANGRY MOB TRIES TO LYNCH A JOCKEY

Police Protect the Rider Who Is Hurriedly Smuggled Out of the Grounds.

NEW ORLEANS, March 15.—Steeple Chase Jockey E. E. Miller furnished the excitement at City park today. He had the mount on Judge Nolan, in the second race and, to many spectators, seemed to keep the horse from finishing in the money. Judge Nolan was ridden to the extreme outside at every jump, and was finally pulled in behind the leaders. Before the numbers went up, a howling mob was after the jockey, who took refuge in the paddock under the protection of the police. The stewards at once ruled Miller off the turf and, as soon as the excitement had quieted down, he was smuggled out of the grounds, escaping a small but determined knot of men who awaited him in the customary exits. Pirate, which won the race, was the only winning favorite of the day. Covina was caught in a jam at the half mile in the last race, fell and broke his leg. The track was lumpy and slow. Summaries:

First, 3½ furlongs—Jack Lee, 107 (Munro), 5 to 1, won; Belsay, 109 (H. Larson), 15 to 1, second; Young Stevens, 108 (Griffith), 8 to 1, third. Time—:45 1-5. Spion, McIntyre and Joe Davis ran.

Second, short course, steeple chase—Pirate, 155 (McClure), 1 to 2, won; Judge Nolan, 157 (E. Miller), 3 to 1, second; Tripoli, 139 (Hammontree), 7 to 1, third. Time—3:24 4-5. Little Willie and Panassus ran.

Third, 7 furlongs—Noble Lucille, 114 (Nicol), 11 to 5, won; America II, 105 (Oregar), 3 to 1, second; Creel, 119 (H. Larson), 5 to 1, third. Time—1:31 1-5. Kara, Dr. McClure and Follow the Flag ran.

Fourth, one mile—Juba, 111 (Troxler), 15 to 1, won; Merry Acrobat, 109 (Pendergast), 13 to 5, second; Gold Coin, 93 (C. Morris), 6 to 5, third. Time—1:46 1-5. Double, Del Carina, Eurocia and The Laurel ran.

Fifth, one mile—Girard, 111 (Nicol), 3 to 1, won; Gooldie, 116 (H. Larson) 1 to 2, second; Glen Clare, 114 (J. Jones), 6 to 1, third. Time—1:46 3-5. Rain Devils and Sago ran.

Sixth, 5½ furlongs—Julia M., 102 (Austin), 4 to 1, won; Prestige, 99 (Pendergast), 6 to 1, second; Billy Woodard, 108 (D. Mahoney), 5 to 1, third. Time—1:10 1-5. Rankin, Blue Blaze, Trepan, Wilkey, Genini, Major Carpenter, Judge Traynor, Dundall and Limerick Girl ran.

Seventh, 7 furlongs—Fugurtha, 104 (Allen), 40 to 1, won; Merry George, 103 (R. Love), 10 to 1, second; Cloverhampton, 101 (Swain), 13 to 1, third. Time—1:17. Lieut. Rice, Echodale, Charlie Dickson, Teddy, Jack Adams, Turrando, Clifton Boy, Wild Irishman, Gambler and Mary Worth ran. Covina fell.

CITY PAR KENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—3½ furlongs:

Blue Dale	117	Doubt	108
King Leopold	112	Irene A.	105
Odd Trick	112	Mary Candiemas	105
Beau Brummel	111	Sam Cook	105

Second race—2 miles, selling:

Eclectic	109	Little Elkin	106
Hymettus	108	Piller	103
Honda	108	Bradley's Pet	101

Third race—Steeplechase, full course:

John E. Owens	150	Sweet Jane	135
Gould	150	Blue Mint	127
Ohio King	146	Blue Grass Girl	125
Evander	139		

Fourth race—1¼ miles, City Park derby:

*Monterey	122	Kargut	122
Jack Dolan	122	*Rickey	119
Debar	122	St. Joseph	119
Orbicular	122	Minnie Adams	117
Kercheval	122	Tarp	117
Tambeau	122		

*Simon entry.

Fifth race—1 mile, selling:

Southampton	108	The Trifler	104
Aclepias	108	Lieut. Rice	103
Gravina	107	Iole	103
Fonsolucea	107	Donkin	103
Monochord	105	Brushton	101
La Cache	105	Oddoletta	99
Labor	105	Lady Consuelo	94

Sixth race—7 furlongs, selling:

Loch Goil	111	Pretorius	108
Arthur Cummer	110	Miladi Love	106
Capitano	110	Ernest Parhain	108
Percy Clark	108	Lineal	105
Grogram	108	Marco	103
Red Ruler	108	Libation	94
Vivat	108	Galmeda	89

Seventh race—6 furlongs, handicap:

Emergency	126	Meadow Breeze	107
Fat Bulger	122	Cascine	100
Airship	108		

All Six Favorites Are Beaten.

NEW ORLEANS, March 16.—Favorites cut no figure in today's racing at the Fair grounds, all six being beaten. The track was slow, and is worked constantly for the big race tomorrow. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Sweet Favor, 94, Moreland, 6 to 1, won; Simon Kent, 113, W. Robbins, 20 to 1, second; Trossachs, 111, Murphy, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 2-5. Albert, Buttercup, Monis, Simplicity, Cut Glass, Orontz and Mazzini also ran.

Second race, 3½ furlongs—Schroeder's Midway, 98, Obert, 9 to 2, won; Helmuth, 107, W. Robbins, 2 to 1, second; Beatrice H., 95, Johannesen, 4 to 1, third. Time, :44 4-5. Suzannah, Sanserit, May Gilmore, Sam Chilton, Capt. MacCormick, Bitter Anne and Miss Nothing also ran.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Dan McKenna, 111, Moreland, 9 to 2, won; Usury, 104, L. Smith, 9 to 5, second; Shenandoah, 117, W. Robbins, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 2-5. Sigmund, Gay Adelaide, Nettie Bumpho, Glen Gallant, Fargo and Little Red also ran.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth—Lancastrian, 106, Perrine, 6 to 1, won; Aurumaster, 112, Obert, 5 to 1, second; Peter Nathaniel, 98, Moreland, 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:52 2-5. Canyon, Nameoki, Safeguard, Lou Woods and Elma M. also ran.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Pride of Woodstock, 95, Obert, 8 to 1, won; J. C. Clem, 107, W. Hayes, 12 to 5, second; Young Reminder, 92, Johnson, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 4-5. Magic Power, Catherine R., Miss Farr, Dreamland, Perfect, Come on Sam, Philador, Phil Roque and Trigg Morse also ran.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth—Sonoma Belle, 115, W. Robbins, 5 to 2, won; Uncle Henry, 110, Bedell, 11 to 10, second; Gleeman, 110, Obert, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:54 2-5. Barlemore, Dance Music, Pawtucket, Nines, Frank Kenney, Ethel Marx, Light Note and Brilliant also ran.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—6 furlongs, selling:

Elastic	113	Felix Morres	106
Tom Mankins	113	Envoirt	105
Aribo	113	Brookston	104
Fenian	112	Go to Win	102
Sanetomi	111	Trixie Sliver	100
Wheeler	111	Electric Spark	100
Invincible	108	Still Hunt	86

Second race—4½ furlongs, 2-year-olds:

Frank Lord	115	Lucy Marie	99
Al. Powell	106	Glad Piece	96
Colluquay	103	Sam Barber	96
Blackburn	102	Friction	96
Our Own	99		

Third race—1 mile and 20 yards, handicap:

St. Valentine	114	Hollomas	97
Goldsmith	113	*Bleunsworth	94
Loristilla	108	Macy, Jr.	92

*Turtle Scout 106

*Bennett entry.

Fourth race—1 mile and 70 yards, selling:

Captain Bob	114	Louis McFarland	108
Avoid	112	Besterling	106
Celebration	111	Rola	88
Consenlo II.	107	Flavingni	91

Fifth race—1¼ miles, Crescent City derby:

Ben Holder	122	*James Reddick	118
Goldmate	116	Gilding Star	113
Hollowmas	116	Disobedient	113
Rolla	116	*Lady Navarre	111

*Ellison entry.

Sixth race—6 furlongs, handicap:

*Rapid Water	120	First Premium	108
Southern Cross	113	Polly Prim	93
Girt	117	Tom Monkind	98
Goldsmith	111	Whippoorwill	96
*Tameus	114		

*Hildreth entry.

Seventh race—1 mile and 70 yards, selling:

Brilliant	105	Lemon Girl	102
Trogan	105	Fred Mornbeck	103
Jungle Imp	105	Ed Early	100
Imboden	103	Beechwood	100
Prince Salm	105	Sincerity Belle	98
Glen Ellen	103	Pirate's Dance	85

Long Shots Have Another Day.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., March 16.—Winners with good odds against them came to the front today at Ascot. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs—Lebro, 111, 15 to 1, won; Brannigan, 108, Moriarity, 10 to 1, second; My Surprise, 115, Palms, 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:17¼. San Lution, Barranca, Lydie Trousman, La Taranta, Tizen and Vencidor also ran.

Second race, 6½ furlongs—Kumiss, 105, Palms, 16 to 5, won; Mazapan, 107, Sullivan, 10 to 1, second; Kougrock, 106, Doyle, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:24 Lady Huron, Jack Hennessy, Sandstorm, Demas, Col. Jewell, Deamages, Casian, Lady Travere and Bauble also ran.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Seedcake, 108, Preston, 16 to 5, won; Babe B., 108, Kunz, 5 to 1, second; Turkeyfoot, 108, McDaniel, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:10. Suavita and Miss Berg also ran. Chemistry and Lesbia left at the post.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Col. Bronston, 92, McDaniel, 8 to 1, won; Ila, 87, Preston, 2 to 1, second; J. F. Donohue, 92, Horner, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:42¾. Bavarian, Cabin and Coutillion also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Mary Glenn, 113, McDaniel, 8 to 5, won; Durbar, 113, Fischer, 7 to 1, second; Kinsman, 108, Kunz, 25 to 1, third. Time 1:15½. Anona, Happy Chappy, Huachuca and Komombo also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Lord Badge, 107, McDaniel, 7 to 20, won; Miss May Bowdish, 96, Palms, 10 to 1, second; Graphite, 105, Preston, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:48¼. The Huguenot, Hoodwink and Blissful also ran.

Seventh race, 6 furlongs—Pachuca, 106, Palms, 8 to 5, won; Patsy Brown, 105, Fischer, 9 to 2, second; Bailey, 105, Moriarity, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:16. Roberts, Dixelle, Phyz, Chief Aloha, Myrtle H. and Miss Croix also ran.

ASCOT ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—6 furlongs:

James J. Corbett	110	Hirtle	105
Regal	108	Quick Stride	102
Prince Ching	107	Easter Morn	99
E. C. Runte	107	Mazapan	97
Hagerdon	107	Seedcake	97
Chief Aloha	107	Babe B.	97
La Taranta	105	Desmagnes	94

Second race—1 mile:

Leroy	113	Lanark	110
St. Wilda	110	Freesias	108
San Lution	110	Barranca	108
Young Marlow	110	Huapala	108
Moor	110	Nuptial	108
Gondolus	110	Paramount	108
The Pride	110	Mirchia	103

Third race—6 furlongs:

Dr. Hollis	110	Lindarose	100
Firmfoot	108	Silver Wedding	93
El Oteros	107	Neatness	93
El Bernardo	102		

Fourth race—1 mile, St. Patrick's Day handicap:

Ebony	114	Yeoman	90
Orlieu	104	Ila	87

Fifth race—1 1-16 miles:

Gentle Harry	111	Viona	85
Cabin	108	Belasco	90
Ethylene	104	Creston Boy	90
Cheripe	100	Elizabeth A.	85
Graphite	98		

Sixth race—6 furlongs:

Revel	112	Miss Affable	103
Durbar	109	Betsy	101
Rodolfo	107	Starlind	99
Belle Kinney	103	Mazonia	92
Anona	103		

Seventh race—1 mile:

Old Mike	114	Tendercrest	108
Myrtle H.	112	Phyz	108
El Verace	110	Red Damsel	108
Needful	110	Pacifico	106
Patsy Brown	110	Exapo	105
Kinsman	109	Rubiana	104
St. Winnifrede	108	Tangible	103

Pickaway Hits the Betting Ring.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 16.—Pickaway's victory in the fourth race at Oakland today, cost the ring heavily, as considerable money pourde in on him when he opened at 10 to 1 in the betting. Weather cloudy; track heavy. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—Pepper Pod, 106 (Rice), 4 to 1, won; Marie H., 110 (L. Williams), 2 to 1, second; Loura Van, 95 (Schade), 10 to 1, third. Time—1:04¾. Sue Chester, Oasis, Sicyon, Niota, Avonella, Lou Otstot, Estmere and Alumdina ran.

Second, 6 furlongs—St. Francis, 112 (Clark), 13 to 20, won; I'm Joe, 112 (Robinson), 9 to 1, second; Cocksure, 105 (Knapp), 5 to 1, third. Time—1:17. Wheatstone, Rusticate, Isolation, Spring Ban and Montanus ran.

Third, futurity course—Blumenthal, 120 (Knapp), 11 to 10, won; Mimo, 130 (Robinson), 6 to 1, second; Full Sway, 129 (Minder), 60 to 1, third. Time—1:14¼. Golden Sunrise, Tam O'Shanter, Emma Reubold, Bath Beach, Gronte and Gibraltar ran.

Fourth, one mile—Pickaway, 107 (T. Clark), 9 to 1, won; Jackfull, 107 (T. Sullivan), 9 to 2, second; Modicum, 110 (Foountain), 4 to 1, third. Time—1:44. Major Tenny, Dusty Miller, Sunmark, Glenarvon and Profitable ran.

Fifth, mile and 50 yards—Pentagon, 99 (Russell, 12 to 1, won; Chablis, 104 (Robinson), 5 to 1, second; Wenrick, 114 (Minder), 6 to 1, third. Time—1:47. Cardinal Sarto, Byronerdale, Briers, Mr. Farnum and Barker ran.

Sixth, 6 furlongs—Ralbert, 110 (Brussel), 3 to 1, won; Hector, 99 (Rice), 13 to 5, second; Eleven, 94 (Harty), 6 to 1, third. Time—1:15¾. Celeris, David Boland, Wee Lass and La Londe ran.

OAKLAND ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—4 furlongs:

Ray Egan	114	Oceanshore	106
Mabel Hollander	111	Handmaiden	103
Napota	109	Ramire	102
Arrow Maker	109	Lugani	99

Second race—2 miles:

Byronnerdale	107	Tom Hawk	102
Expedient	107	Mr. Farnum	102
Tarrigan	102	Leila Hill	100

Third race—Futurity course:

Tecolaw	111	Lilly Golding	97
Don Domo	108	Facene	90
Young Pilgrim	106	Lizaro	90
Ralsert	104	Get Rich Quick	85

Fourth race—4 miles, Thornton stakes:

Wirein	115	Nine Spot	110
Brigand	112	Preservator	104

Fifth race—7½ furlongs:

Clyde O.	108	Critical	97
Gateway	108	Shady Lad	95
The Lieutenant	102	Graceful	95
Argreshire	101	Judge	93
Magrane	99	Buchanan	92
Christine A.	99	Pelham	92

Sixth race—1 mile:

Southern	115	Cicely	93
Corn Blossom	105	Solomon	78
Beknighted	102	Wren	99

Freshmen Win Annual Game.

STATE COLLEGE, PA., March 16.—(Special.)—For the first time in six years the freshmen basketball five defeated the sophs in the annual struggle in the armory here this evening. Line-up:

Sophomores—19.		Freshmen—27.
Burns	F	Ross (capt.)
Moorhead (capt.)	F	Salada
Zink	C	Wabi
Fox (Harris)	G	Pennock
Campbell (Dolliop)	G	Mitchell

Goals from field—Salada 5, Moorhead 4, Ross 3, Zink, Harris, Burns, Waha, Pennock. Goals from foul—Moorhead 5, Waha 2, Ross 3. Time of halves—20 minutes. Referee—Hollinger.

Boxing Bouts at Wilkinsburg.

The Sterling Athletic club of Wilkinsburg gave the third of a series of friendly boxing bouts at the club rooms on Wood street last night. There were four rounds between Clark and Meyers of East Pittsburgh, Blair of Swissvale and Dunn of Braddock were paired, and were followed by a lively set-to between Harry Turner of Wilkinsburg and Red Barber of the same place. A Turner was paired with Jack Broderick of Swissvale in a friendly four-round bout. The closing bout was between Benanco and Mullin of Wilkinsburg in a four-round contest.

American Athletes Chosen.

LONDON, March 16.—Three American Rhodes scholarship students have been selected to represent Oxford in the inter-university sports which are to take place on March 24. P. M. Young, University of South Dakota, will contest in the high jumping; Warren E. Schutt, Cornell, in the one-mile run, and Albert M. Stevens of Willimantic, Conn., in the hammer throwing.

In the Balliol college sports today Stevens won the broad and high jumps and the 120-yard hurdles.

Gans-Sullivan Fight Postponed.

LOS ANGELES, March 16.—The open air fight planned for tonight between Joe Gans and Mike (Twin) Sullivan has been postponed until Saturday night on account of rain.

GAZETTE RACE SELECTIONS.

CITY PARK, NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Odd Trick, King Leopold, Blue Dale.
Second race—Little Elkin, Electric, Piller.
Third race—Vvander, Sweet Jane, Gould.
Fourth race—Simon entry, Minnie Adams.
Fifth race—Fonsoluca, Gravina, Labor.
Sixth race—Libation, Percy Clark, Marco.
Seventh race—Cascine, Pat Bulger, Emergency.

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Elastic, Triple Silver, Electric Spark.
Second race—Frank Lord, Colluquy, Al Powell.
Third race—Hollowmas, Macy J., St. Valentine.
Fourth race—Rolla, Capt. Bob, Celebration.
Fifth race—Guiding Star, Ben Hodder, James Reddick.
Sixth race—Rapid Water, Southern Cross, Van Ness.
Sixth race—Judge Imp, Sincerity Belle, Imboden.

BOWLERS LOOKING TOWARD LOUISVILLE

Many Have Already Reached National Tournament City Ready for Business.

LOUISVILLE, KY., March 16.—With an increase of nearly 25 per cent in the number of entries and a larger amount of prize money in bank for the winners than at any previous tournament, the annual tournament and convention of the American Bowling congress will open at the Jefferson county armory tomorrow night. The first ball of the first match on the first alley will be rolled by the Vic Lorch five-man team at 7:30 o'clock in a magnificently decorated and equipped arena. The tournament will last 10 days.

Delegates to the congress and team members have already begun to arrive. St. Louis, St. Paul and Philadelphia have already started a warm fight to secure the next congress. Philadelphia's chances, it is said, have been unfavorably affected by the fact that the cast is sending a smaller number of bowlers than was expected. A Baltz of Philadelphia, Charles J. Kaufmann of Cincinnati and Charles H. Ebbets of Brooklyn are candidates for president of the congress.

All the Pittsburgh bowlers entered in the national tournament will leave for Louisville tomorrow morning from Union station at 2:30. They will go in state, having chartered a coach. At least 30 bowlers will be in the party.

All six teams of the Crucible Steel Company met in their regular meet on the Club alleys last night. Ordinary scores were the results. Oberlin was the high roller, with 201. Scores:

Bookkeeping—			
Steple	145	153	113
Oberlin	201	156	148
Estep	156	138	157
Barth	124	197	157
Miller	107	97	115
Totals	733	661	689

Sales—			
Dixon	72	110	112
Miller	157	152	138
Beller	114	111	66
Gibson	121	133	120
Eversman	147	153	133
Totals	611	659	568

Invoice—			
Felheimer	140	88	136
Remensnyder	102	149	109
Steele	123	147	123
Madden	76	118	121
Bean	147	132	131
Totals	588	634	623

Following are the results of the two games in the Plumbers league on the Club alleys last night. The Anchors won two out of three from the Harris Pumps and the Monarchs duplicated the feat against the Rand Manufacturing Company. Scores:

Anchor—			
Burke	143	121	173
Brettle	162	160	167
Bailey	94	121	121
Lantz	136	119	122
Glen	152	158	180
Totals	708	639	763

Harris Pump—			
Rome	98	111	107
Cole	103	120	120
Goeddeh	125	92	102
Faust	135	185	141
Kinsmith	133	122	77
Totals	592	630	648

Monarch—			
Long	110	...	151
Geyer	142	125	...
Bethel	126	210	142
Everett	145	133	125
Peters	171	133	148
Brenar	...	159	168
Totals	718	760	734

Rand Mfg. Co.—			
Hardie	152	138	161
Brill	117	97	...
Frampton	138	111	194
Shunk	141	168	161
Burkle	128	120	180
Shaner	...	...	117
Totals	656	645	731

In the Allegheny County Duckpin league, on the Mt. Washington alleys last night, the Mt. Washington team took all three games from the Wilkinsburg team. Jones made another good average. Scores:

Wilkinsburg—			
Warfel	80	85	95
Elberty	84	95	86
Hemnig	89	82	80
McMillan	100	82	82
Hardie	77	70	76
Totals	430	421	439

Mt. Washington—			
Poke	98	90	83
Smythe	93	88	96
Baird	75	80	91
Shuey	87	94	77
Jones	113	84	95
Totals	466	436	437

Ten teams of the Twin City league met in their regular scheduled meet on the Federal alleys last night. Some good and ordinary scores were made. Macpherson was the star, with two fine 200 scores, and the splendid average of 218 2-3. Kummer was second best with the good score of 236, and second best average. Trout and Gillespie also did good bowling for their respective teams. Scores:

Prudential—			
Hambly	147	139	119
Larner	102	151	118
Parker	126	181	163
Morrison	153	108	128
Schaudle	147	189	141
Soderhohn	207	123	153
Totals	734	744	628

Mimosa—			
Billet	122	152	137
Schiller	120	181	163
Smith	157	154	154
Burns	184	135	126
J. Carson	157	154	120
W. Carson	153	182	168
Totals	794	823	718

Bulls and Bears—			
Diebold	151	144	137
McDonald	145	...	138
Reed	104	135	...
Miller	151	157	165
Earle	179	161	180
Burrows	151	...	...
Totals	790	780	852

Premiers—			
Deak	154	135	142
Lamble	182	174	164
Bell	129	146	176
Nuss	192	149	177
Berry	175	189	183
Totals	832	793	831

Pioneers—			
Hunter	107	183	189
Carnes	151	146	167
Conley	133	176	147
Watson	142	147	138
Faulkner	148	159	143
Totals	681	811	778

Xantha—			
Davis	155	97	121
Nixon	158	190	158
Rudi	162	126	172
Cameron	185	124	175
Lamb	141	184	158
Totals	791	657	784

Fosters—			
Ormiston	163	186	154
A. Meisner	142	130	162
Trout	202	157	147
J. Meisner	139	179	153
Gillespie	179	177	184
Totals	808	788	802

Lehigh—			
Heimer	153	142	181
Hardcastle	118	151	172
Baltzell	114	136	130
Klock	132	149	153
Johnston	141	179	136
Totals	659	738	742

Maccabees—			
Gauger	148	139	138
Buskirk	168	161	139
Allen	145	129	158
Lohrs	138	196	Kapp
Kummer	181	179	236
Totals	779	799	819

Black Diamond—			
Stauff	125	178	115
Edwards	168	149	113
McGuire	143	175	160
Kamp	134	196	127
Phillips	166	111	151
Totals	686	759	766

In the two-man team league on the Fifth avenue alleys last night, good scores were made. High average was made by Scharf, 202 1-3. Scores:

Burns	190	146	187
Belmont	123	164	127
Totals	313	310	314
Burns	133	149	149
Belmont	162	158	177
Totals	315	307	326

Ely	167	159	208
Haymaker	225	115	134
Totals	392	274	340
Selbel	180	150	183
Scharf	210	208	159
Totals	390	358	382

In an interesting match on the Wylie-avenue alleys last evening between teams picked from the maintenance department of the Central District and Printing Telegraph Company, team No. 1 took two out of three games. Warrick had high score of 212 and best average of 144 1-3. Scores:

Maintenance No. 1—			
Warrick	154	162	121
Riley	137	120	133
Martin	100	137	85
McPherson	124	136	126
Edwards	111	102	90
Totals	626	657	575

Maintenance No. 2—			
Bender	125	111	101
McIntyre	99	93	99
Campbell	137	127	145
Jones	143	97	153
Bill

CLOSE GAMES IN THE POOL LEAGUE

Olympia Retains Its Lead by Beating the Crack Crescents. Friendship Wins Again.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Olympia	23	7	.767	Garfield	15	15	.500
Federal	21	9	.700	Union	15	15	.500
Pennant	20	10	.667	Glenwood	11	19	.367
Verwerck	19	11	.633	Swissvale	7	23	.233
Arlington	18	12	.600	Primrose	7	23	.233
Crescent	18	12	.600	Friendship	7	23	.233

The thirtieth round of the Allegheny County pool league was played last night. The contests as a rule were very close. The game between Olympia and Crescent was for blood, the Olympias finally landing the plum. The feature was the fine playing of Coulter and Paul of Olympia.

Federal had a walkover at Primrose, winning by the score of 100 to 66. The playing of Ritchie of Federal was the feature, he making 47 balls. Sweeney played well for Primrose and had high score for his team with 31 balls.

The Demmels put it on the strong Arlingtons by the score of 100 to 80. The playing of Klasen and Auf, with 46 and 40 respectively, was the main feature. Dietrich of Arlington was going some and pocketed 40 balls for his team.

The Garfields had it put on them by the champion Verwercks by the score of 100 to 74. The best playing was done by Hays and Verwerck with 38 balls each. Rampanelli of Garfield had high score for his team with 36 balls.

Union came in from Braddock with confidence that it would wallop Swissvale, but was badly fooled, the Swissvales winning the game by 100 to 83. Freeze and Morgan for Swissvale were at their best and played a safe and steady game throughout. Black for Union had high score with 31 balls.

The surprise of the evening was the defeat of Glenwood by Friendship, by the close score of 100 to 97. The star of the game was Frankhauser, with 36 balls. Wild was high for Glenwood with 37 balls. Scores:

Olympia—		Crescent—	
Travers	28	Baker	25
Coulter	42	Brown	25
Paul	36	Ramsey	30
Total	106	Total	80

Scratches—Olympia 6, Crescent 3. Referee—Caldwell. Scorer—Kling.

At Primrose— Federal—		Primrose—	
Ritchie	47	Burtt	22
Glass	23	Sweeney	31
McCabe	36	Rime	22
Total	106	Total	74

Scratches—Federal 5, Primrose 8. Referee—Hope. Scorer—Hemphill.

At Arlington— Arlington—		Demmel—	
Stenger	17	Klasen	46
Miller	27	Auf	40
Dietrich	40	Clepper	20
Total	84	Total	106

Scratches—Arlington 4, Demmel 6. Referee—Morgan. Scorer—Joe Beans.

At Verwerck— Verwerck—		Garfield—	
Elson	31	Porte	27
Verwerck	28	Yahrling	22
Hays	38	Rampanelli	36
Total	107	Total	85

Scratches—Verwerck 7, Garfield 11. Referee—Ward. Scorer—McGuire.

At Swissvale— Swissvale—		Union—	
Morgan	37	Seawald	26
Freeze	45	Black	51
Campbell	23	Meredith	13
Total	105	Total	90

Scratches—Swissvale 5, Union 7. Referee—Fuller. Scorer—Peters.

At Glenwood— Glenwood—		Friendship—	
Wild	37	Cook	24
Merthan	26	Moorhead	27
Volck	33	Frankhauser	56
Total	96	Total	107

Scratches—Glenwood 11, Friendship 7. Referee—Wassum. Scorer—Devine.

ST. JOSEPH WINS FROM ST. ALOYSIUS

In the Diocesan pool league last night the St. Joseph defeated the St. Aloysius team of Sharpsburg by a score of 100 to 55. Meyers made the best record, getting 49 balls. Scores:

St. Joseph—		Sharpesburg—	
Gaus	28	Haberman	19
Meyers	49	Beck	18
Wehrheim	23	Mordian	18
Total	100	Total	55

Referee—Steiner. Scorer—F. Yeager.

The game between the St. Aloysius team of the South Side and St. Charles was forfeited by St. Aloysius for non-appearance.

St. Joseph would like to have the game on Tuesday with St. Anthony postponed until later.

Wright and Gardner the Winners.

CHICAGO, March 16.—H. A. Wright of San Francisco, in the national billiard tournament today, defeated Calvin Demarest of Chicago, made a high record run of 127 and tied the individual average of 16 12-18 made yesterday by Poggenburg. The final score was 300 to 265. After one of the most tedious games seen since the tournament began, Gardner won tonight from Norris, the score being 300 to 265. Both players were in poor form and it took Gardner 46 innings to run the game out.

Shooting Event Today.

At Davis Island the Herron Hill Gun club will hold a live bird shoot for a silver cup. The shoot will be at 25 pigeons and will begin at 1:30.

The Millvale Gun clubs will hold a St. Patrick's day shoot at inanimate targets, commencing sharp at 12:30 o'clock. All amateurs are welcome.

Basketball Scores Last Night.

At Irwin—Eighteenth Regiment, 37, Irwin 30.

At Sewickley—East Liberty 2, Y. M. C. A., 0. (Forfeited because of flight.)

At Pittsburgh Lyceum—Duquesne School 26, Lyceum Juniors 12.

At Wilkinsburg—Sterlings 60, Lafayette Juniors 8.

County League Organized.

The County league reorganized last night by re-electing J. Will Luckhardt president. These clubs were admitted: Shaners, Fairbanks, Millvale, Natrona, Lyceum and Bedfords. The season will open May 5. Twenty-eight games will be on the schedule.

AMONG THE BOXERS.

Tonight in the armory, Rube Ferns and Mike Donovan will meet for six rounds. They will wind up the show. Among other bouts will be one between Joe Alton and Jimmy Dunn and Ned Shernoff and Jock Simco.

Jack Bruce states that his bout with Jock Simco at McKeesport was stopped in the fourth round by the referee, who sent Simco to his corner until he had recovered his senses. Bruce claims that Simco was practically out.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

BEAVER FALLS.—Word has been received here of the death of James M. May, Jr., aged 28, at Pasadena, Cal. He was the son of James M. May of this place and had gone to California for his health. He was a graduate of Geneva college, class of '94, and during his college days took a great interest in college sports.

WASHINGTON.—Alexander Campbell Chapman of Claysville, this county, died Friday, aged 85. He was a member of one of the oldest and most prominent families in this section of the country. He was born in Donegal township in 1823 and was of Scotch-Irish parentage. He had also been engaged in raising fancy stock and wool and amassed a fortune. These children are living: Mrs. Elizabeth B. Lawyer of Cambridge, O., Grafton K. Chapman of Lanesville, W. Va., and Campbell A. Chapman of Claysville.

ALTOONA.—Henry C. Metcalf, aged 67, one of the most widely known hotel proprietors in this part of the state, died at his home here Friday from Bright's disease.

WHEELING.—Samuel Streeta is dead at Arden, Harbour county, at the age of 97. He was a soldier in the Mexican war and carried 12 bullets to his grave. Aside from confinement in the army hospitals from wounds he was never ill a day in his life, nor ever took a dose of medicine. He never tasted tobacco nor intoxicants.

CUMBERLAND, MD.—Mrs. Charlotte A. Gardner, widow of James Gardner, died here Friday, aged 69. She was a native of Indiana county, Pa., and a daughter of the late Frederick Marlborough. She lived the greater part of her life in Johnstown. Mrs. Gardner leaves the following children: City Councilman William Gardner, Cumberland; James Gardner, Ellersile, Mrs. E. T. Duke, Dr. Charlotte G. Gardner, Miss Jennie and Miss May Gardner, Cumberland.

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Caldwell, Robert W.510 Duquesne way.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kilnordinger, Ben...1029 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
O'Doherty, Ann.....325-327 Liberty ave.....Bellevue, Pa.
O'Doherty, Daniel P.....Bellevue, Pa.
Robitzer, John Z. T.717 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schmidt, G. W.....100 Sixth st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schmidt, G. W., Agt. & Trustee for G.W. Schmidt Co.....100 Sixth st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Scheutz, Henry, Jr...427 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Renziehausen, Frederick C.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Shipley, E. H.....917 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Massingham, Sherman.....Crafton, Pa.
Lucas, H. C.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Shipley Massingham Co.....917 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

FIFTH WARD.

Albiez, Emil.....569 Seventh ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
901 Webster ave.....
Connor, John C.....709 Wylie ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
33 Tunnell st.....
Powers, Richard J..548 Sixth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

SIXTH WARD.

Minahan, Patrick J.1038-1040 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Obernauer, Herman.1400 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Raphael, Louis.....1028 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Zeugschmidt, Louis C.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Stadtfeld, A.....1518 Forbes ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Walker, Leigh W....700-702 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

SEVENTH WARD.

Bava, Victor.....1029 Webster ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Morelli, Francesco.....Allegheny, Pa.
Browarsky, Marks..814 Wylie ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Browarsky, Yetta..1227 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
McMorris, James P.135-137-139 Washington st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

EIGHTH WARD.

Breman, Harry.....112 Fulton st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Farkas, Louis.....1401 Wylie ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Jiles, James S.....59 Fulton st.....Beechview borough.
McGowan, Thomas D.....1541 Webster ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

NINTH WARD.

Haller, Samuel T....1153 Liberty st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Herbert, Carl.....1136 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Klein, Max.....1318-1320 Penn ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Klien, Lean S.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Klein, Milton S.....Allegheny, Pa.
Weinberg, Joseph A. As Max Klein & Sons.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
McMahon, James P.1226 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Devine, John J.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Wreathoff, Paul, Agt. for & Trustee of Paul Wreathoff Co. .....N. E. cor. 14th and Mulberry sts.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Wolf, Fred.....1151 Liberty ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Siesel, Jacob.....Allegheny, Pa.

TENTH WARD.

Kearns, John.....1539 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kirsch, Chas. W.....1642 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

ELEVENTH WARD.

Broudy, Louis H.....1601 Fifth ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Mugele, Frederick...1803-1805 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hammer, Albert H.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Walker, Wm. W....2041 Center ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWELFTH WARD.

Abrams, Jacob.....2306 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Butz, Ernest J.....Allegheny, Pa.
Alexandrunas, O....2731 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Amdursky, Hyman..2633 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Blandi, Giacoino....2009 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Browarsky, Morris..2629 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Geiselhart, Theodore2501 Penn ave.....Shaler Twp., Pa.
Griffin, James.....1913 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Israel, Joseph.....2913 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Tarkowski, Casimer S.....2824 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Walser, Peter.....2710 Penn ave.....Sharpsburg, Pa.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Doyle, Leohard A..2200 Center ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kane, Thomas A....2226 Wylie ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kohler, John.....403 Thirty-third st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kohler, Paul.....3435 Melwood ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
McClelland, Wm. T.2254 Center ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schittler, Gottfried.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Neubauer, August...2639 Wylie ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Reich, Jacob.....3217 Brereton ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Reich, Isadore.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Winter, William J..631 Herron ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Clark, Edward M...126 Oakland ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
De Haan, Harry...3708 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Fitzgibbon, James A.....2539 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Grenawald, Edward .....2217 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Holland, John J....2434 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sullivan, Jeremiah J.....Mt. Oliver, Pa.
Leininger, Peter....2131 Forbes st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schmidt, Nickolaus.2426 Fifth ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sweeney, Hannah...2229-2235 Forbes st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Fuhrer, Joseph, Jr.2701 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Yeager, Louis P....3405 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Zinsmeister, John...3507 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

Boehm, Benedict...3900 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Gallenz, Casper.....4625 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Letzelter, Michael...4614-4616 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

Hilger, Chas. F.....4401 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
McIntyre, Dennis...4808-4811 Harrison st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schad, John.....
Schad, William J....42 Forty-eighth st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Spandau, Jacob.....4209 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

Dinan, Andrew A...5151 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Fink, John A.....5437-5439 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Waldvogel, Constantine .....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kelly, Timothy P...5228 Butler st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

NINETEENTH WARD.

Egley, George F....119 Collins ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Elnstein, Sarah J..104 Frankstown ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Lowenstein, Rudolph .....74 Frankstown ave. Old No.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Lowenstein, Rudolph74 Frankstown ave. Old No.....Rudolph, Pa.
Lowenstein, Sydney.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
McGee, Thomas E..5135 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Russ, Elizabeth——6325-6327 Station st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Russ, Frank J.....6325-6327 Station st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sorg, Albert M.....6274 Frankstown ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTIETH WARD.

Claus, Frank.....4819 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Geyer, Joseph.....4800 Liberty ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schaefer, Wm. T.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Ommert, John F.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Linaugh, Patrick...5024 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
O'Donnell, P. M....6006 Center ave.....Sharpsburg, Pa.
Wilson, George S...5900 Penn ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

Berardino, Gerardo.1015 Lincoln ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
DeSimone, Anthony.417 Larimer ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Fuhs, Adam.....501 Larimer ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hauck, John A.....407 Larimer ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Meyer, Henry J....6437 Frankstown ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Meyer, Oscar G.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Neaman, Harry I....7313-7315 Hamilton ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Roth, Adolph.....5121½ Larimer ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schumacker, Jacob 7143-7145 Frankstown ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Seibel, Frederick....418 Larimer ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

Jacobson, Abel.....2940 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Joyce, Michael.....2382-2384 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Karabinos, Michael.2962 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Levi, Joseph.....4026 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schwartz, Herman S.....5430-5432 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Smith, H. A.....4723 Second ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

Englert, George.....2700-2702 Carson st.....Knoxville, Pa.
Wilhelm, Joseph J..2908 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

Dosch, Victor.....2214 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Dosch, John.....Carrick borough.
Snyder, George C...87-89 Twenty-sixth st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Trautman, Adam....2384 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.

Graham, Thomas A.1917 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
O'Connor, Edmund G.....1814 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Zoeller, William F..1807 Carson st.....Knoxville, Pa.

TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD.

Rall, Henry.....2223 Salisbury st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD.

Gelb, David.....1417 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hammel, John M.....1213 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Krauss, Joseph.....105 S. Twelfth st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Krauss, George.....

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

Padden, William....804-806 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Posiuszny, Frank...1109 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Shafer, George.....718-720 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

THIRTIETH WARD.

Ramlack, G. J.....217-219-221-223 McKean st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Riley, Patrick.....623 Carson st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD.

Seifert, J. Henry..90 Washington ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Tragesser, Lawrence C.....94-96 Washington ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schaebler, Aloysius M.....

THIRTY-SECOND WARD.

McCaskey, William J.....N. E. cor. Sycamore and Wyoming sts.Pittsburgh, Pa.
Schmid, J. George..56 Shiloh st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

THIRTY-SIXTH WARD.

Costello, John.....406 Wabash st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Glbansky, Morris...194 S. Main st.....Crafton, Pa.
Simendinger, E. R..138 S. Main st.....Allegheny, Pa.

THIRTY-EIGHTH WARD.

Breiding, Jacob.....40 Climax st.....Knoxville, Pa.
Demme, Philip.....23 Climax st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
O'Neill, Francis C..103 Climax st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Scarem, William F..101 Climax st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

THIRTY-NINTH WARD.

Maloney, John F....12 Chartiers ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

ALLEGHENY.

FIRST WARD.

Bitner, E. S.....600 Ann st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Connelly, Hugh L..107 Ohio st., W.....Allegheny, Pa.
Glamser, Anton.....423 Federal st.....Osborne, Pa.
Huckestein, Frank.....Allegheny, Pa.
Rosenbloom, Mayer.525 Federal st.....Allegheny, Pa.

SECOND WARD.

Evans, Morgan Z...108 Taggart st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Cooper, Enoch.....Allegheny, Pa.
Holmes, James M...131 Taggart st.....Crafton, Pa.
Kroll, August.....148 Taggart st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Pearce, Joseph C....16 Taggart st.....Allegheny, Pa.

THIRD WARD.

Dietz, Michael J....526 E. Ohio st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Hollander, Harry...108 E. Ohio st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Holzinger, William M.....820 E. Ohio st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Huckestein, P. S....901-903 Chestnut st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Irwin, William.....1010 East st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Meyer, Joseph J....730 E. Ohio st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Meyer, Adolph R.....Allegheny, Pa.
Muth, Henry.....916 Federal st.....Allegheny, Pa.

FOURTH WARD.

Bing, Harry.....502 Federal st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hieber, Ray C.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Hack, John K.....203 E. Ohio st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Hack, Joseph.....Ben Avon borough.
Hespenheide, Henry W.....537 East Ohio st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Kettl, Chas. W.....605 Chestnut st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Morris, Edward.....18 E. Lacock st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Riffle, Edward J....21 S. Diamond st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Riffle, E. J.....21 S. Diamond st., E.....Allegheny, Pa.
Sykes, John E.....As E. J. Riffle & Co.....Allegheny, Pa.
Tscnudy, Felix.....224 Federal st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

FIFTH WARD.

Golden Annie.....1409 Rebecca st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Steitz, Louis.....1129 Pennsylvania ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Yochem, John H....800 Chartiers st.....Allegheny, Pa.

SIXTH WARD.

Fierle, Christopher.2244 Beaver ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Nees, Chas.....1618-1620 Beaver ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Reed, Joseph H.....1900 Chartiers st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Tracy, James.....1203 Beaver ave.....Allegheny, Pa.

SEVENTH WARD.

Roethlein, Anton Sr.104-106 Spring Garden ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Roethlein, Anton Jr.....Allegheny, Pa.

EIGHTH WARD.

The Spring Brewing Co.....1312 East Ohio st.....Chewton P. O., Pa.

NINTH WARD.

Davis, W. Lees....627 Preble ave.....Avalon, Pa.
Sexton, George D.....Avalon, Pa.
Munk, Frederick....659 Preble ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Sepic, Frank.....698 Preble ave.....Allegheny, Pa.

ELEVENTH WARD.

Frank, John.....117 McClure ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Denhard, Christian.....Allegheny, Pa.
Morgan, Elizabeth..23 McClure ave.....Allegheny, Pa.

TWELFTH WARD.

Herbert, Jacob.....1720 East st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Meder, Cornelius....1400 East st.....Allegheny, Pa.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Buscheck, Frank....34 Lowrie st.....Allegheny, Pa.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Luick, John.....2122 East st.....Allegheny, Pa.
Meyerl, Joseph.....Allegheny, Pa.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Craig, D. A.....Brighton road, lot No. 24, Mellon plan..Allegheny, Pa.
Reinhart, Sebastian.3967 Perrysville ave.....Allegheny, Pa.
Matzenbacher, Adolph.....Allegheny, Pa.

McKEESPORT.

FIRST WARD.

Auslender, Harry...219 Market st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Firestone, Jacob....308 Market st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Jackel, John.....411 Blackberry st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Jackel, Wm. T.....McKeesport, Pa.
Levy, Nathan.....301 Market st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Steckel, Fred W....212 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Tragesser, Nicholas W.....416 Market st.....McKeesport, Pa.

SECOND WARD.

Graff, George F....206 Ninth st.....McKeesport, Pa.
McGrew, Finley B..601-603 Market st.....McKeesport, Pa.

THIRD WARD.

Gaughan, M. J.....918 Walnut st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Goldstrohm, Henry.313 Eleventh ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Wigand, Harry L.....McKeesport, Pa.
Jubelirer, Osias.....1325 Walnut st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Krow, Eugene.....1037 Walnut st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Welsz, Emanuel.....1112 Walnut st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Mendlevitz, S.....McKeesport, Pa.

FOURTH WARD.

Brown, Lewis.....560-562 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Denny, William J....414 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Herdic, David.....420 Locust st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Malloy, John H.....339 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Sunstein, Isaac.....326 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Weiskircher, W. O..336-338 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.

FIFTH WARD.

Firestone, Samuel..621 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Nill, Jacob P.....415-417 Huey st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Ward, James F.....729 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.

SIXTH WARD.

Baumgartner, Conrad .....710 to 716 White st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Girdono, Raffaeli....1005 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Goldberg, Adolph....412 Center st.....McKeesport, Pa.
Lightner, Chas. W..1130 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Murrin, J. F.....1323 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.

EIGHTH WARD.

Busch, Frank C.....2708 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.
Horn, John M.....2319 Fifth ave.....McKeesport, Pa.

BOROUGHS.

BRACKENRIDGE.

Conwell, Stephen C.N. E. cor. Cherry st. and Brackenridge ave.....Brackenridge, Pa.
Hahn, John.....N. E. cor. Brackenridge ave. and Mill Lock lane.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

BRADDOCK.

FIRST WARD.

Brennan, Patrick J.1024-1026 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Brennan, Patrick J.302-302-304 Eleventh st.....Braddock, Pa.
Burger, Jacob.....1230 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Gluck, Eugene.....1216 Talbot ave.....Wilmerding, Pa.
Goldstein, Naten....1208 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Gronlund, Peter G..1006 Braddock ave.....N. Braddock, Pa.
Hoechstetter, Julius224 Eleventh st.....Braddock, Pa.
Kolski, Valentine C.1001 Washington st.....Braddock, Pa.
Lightner, Daniel....932 Talbot ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Mendel, Louis.....902 Braddock ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Rosenbloom, Morris .....934 Braddock ave.....N. Braddock, Pa.
Schwartz, Bernat...1134 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Seaman, John.....1117 Washington ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Sutter, Karl F.....214 Ninth st.....Rankin borough.
Varga, George P....1110 Washington ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Verosky, George M.1100 Wasnington st.....Braddock, Pa.
Vilsack, W. W.....1229 Braddock ave.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

SECOND WARD.

Frederick, Samuel H.....735 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
O'Connor, Thomas P.....905 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Pater, Anton.....736 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Polanski, Thos.....842 Talbot ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Schwartz, Morris M.860 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.

THIRD WARD.

Dressler, Chas. W...331 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Delwarte, Zenobe A.....Jeannette, Pa.
Hecht, Adolf.....657 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Lubich, Joseph.....542 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
McGreevy, James F.32 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Pachtman, M. D....310 Braddock ave.....Braddock, Pa.
Soles, John S.....9-11-13 Braddock ave.....N. Braddock, Pa.

BRIDGEVILLE.

Maioli, M.....S. W. cor. Hickman st. and a 30 ft. street, leading from Hickman st.....Bridgeville, Pa.
Rankin, Frank M...60 ft. from the corner of Main and Railroad sts., adjoining the Donaldson block on the north.....Bridgeville, Pa.

CARNEGIE.

FIRST WARD.

Cylkowski, Stanley.27-29 Fourth ave.....Carnegie, Pa.
Mathias, Marda.....111 Fourth ave.....Carnegie, Pa.
Monticelli, E.....42-44 Fourth ave.....Carnegie, Pa.
Musebrink, William John.....217-219 Fourth ave.....Carnegie, Pa.

SECOND WARD.

Gallagher, James...16 Main st.....Carnegie, Pa.

CARRICK.

Bauer, Chas. J.....N. E. cor. Library road and Charles st..Carrick borough.
Butler, Geo. H.....2310 Brownsville road.....Carrick borough.
Koegler, Philip.....2618 Southern ave.....Carrick borough.
Windstein, Bernard.1822 Brownsville road.....Carrick borough.

CLAIRTON.

Bedell, William S...East side of Third st., south side of St. Clair ave.....Homestead, Pa.
Dietrich, Gustave H.N. E. cor. Miller and Large ave.....Clairton borough.
Frankel, Morris.....S. E. cor. second st. and Taylor ave....Allegheny, Pa.
Herts, Edward A...West side of Park ave., cor. Stewart ave.Dravosburg, Pa.
Lutz, John.....Large ave., on lot No. 1432.....Clairton borough.
Lutz, William J.....McKeesport, Pa.
Richards, Thos. A..Miller ave., lot No. 2410.....Duquesne, Pa.
Skupik, John H.....Miller ave., north of Park ave.....
Volkert, John F....S. W. cor. St. Clair and Third ave.....Clairton borough.
Werner, William F.S. E. cor. Waddell and Second sts.....Glassport, Pa.

CORAOPOLIS.

Cusack, Daniel E...Southerly side of Fourth ave., 50 ft. westwardly from the S. W. cor. Fourth ave. and Ferree st.....Coraopolis, Pa.
Dithrich, Wm. J....15-17 E. Fourth ave.....Coraopolis, Pa.
Moore, Harry A....408 Mill st.....Coraopolis, Pa.

DRAVOSBURG.

Klein, Johann.....328 Washington st.....Dravosburg, Pa.
Kunkleman, C. H..131 Washington st.....Dravosburg, Pa.
Wilds, John.....Coal Valley, Pa.
Schneider, Robert...S. E. cor. Third ave and Washington st..Dravosburg, Pa.
Young, James S.....Dravosburg, Pa.

DUQUESNE.

FIRST WARD.

Beck, Alexander S..20 E. Duquesne ave.....Duquesne, Pa.
Bedell, Isaac.....5 N. Duquesne ave.....Duquesne, Pa.
Jameson, Creighton.11 E. Grant ave.....Duquesne, Pa.
Klein, Samuel.....10-12-14 River ave.....Duquesne, Pa.
Klein, William .....34-36 E. Duquesne ave.....Duquesne, Pa.
Leader, Wm. J.....12 Superior st.....Duquesne, Pa.
McCabe, E. Thomas3 River ave.....Duquesne, Pa.

SECOND WARD.

Biesel, John.....337 Second st.....Duquesne, Pa.
Gardili, James G....607 Grant ave.....Duquesne, Pa.
Ruhe, Frank C.....Duquesne, Pa.
Kasten, Christopher909 Grant ave.....Duquesne, Pa.

THIRD WARD.

Bedell, Milton.....512-514 Duquesne ave.....Duquesne, Pa.

EAST PITTSBURGH.

FIRST WARD.

Weiss, Bernath.....230 Braddock ave.....E. Pittsburgh, Pa.

THIRD WARD.

Baisley, H. W.....Lot 16 on Linden ave.....Wilmerding, Pa.
Biederman, Louis...19 Linden ave.....E. Pittsburgh, Pa.
Kessler, Peter J....Southerly side of Linden ave., east of Beech st.....Wilkinsburg, Pa.
Leslie, Vaughn K.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Knuff, Joseph.....645 Braddock ave.....Wilkinsburg, Pa.
McGlashan, Peter...North side of Braddock ave. Lot No. 10..E. Pittsburgh, Pa.
Shapiro, Benjaman S.....N. E. cor. Linden and Cable aves.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Srolovitz, Max L.....Turtle Creek, Pa.
Sullivan, Francis J.S. side Linden ave., between Electric ave. and Beech st.....Allegheny, Pa.

ETNA.

Byerley, George.....372 Allegheny and Butler plank road.....Etna borough.
Hieber, Frederick C.337 Allegheny and Butler plank road.....Etna borough.
Horr, Morris.....6 Freeport st.....Etna borough.

GLASSPORT.

Dobbins, C. W.....Cor. 7th and Allegheny aves.....Jefferson Twp.
Dobbins, Thomas.....Jefferson Twp.
Griffin, H. C.....East side Monongahela ave., between 5th and 6th sts.....Glassport, Pa.
Fury, Daniel J.....McKeesport, Pa.
Schwerha, John R..395 Monongahela ave.....Glassport, Pa.

HAYS BOROUGH.

Bonetti, Julius.....189 Baldwin st.....Hays borough.
Cosatch, Apolonaris Andrew.....140 Baldwin st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Grieb, August.....201 Baldwin st.....Hays borough.
Guthlie, Oliver P....195 Baldwin st.....Hays borough.
Imler, Daniel F.....1-3 Irwin st.....Pittsburgh, Pa.

HEIDELBERG.

Speicher, John.....Cor. 4th and Railroad sts.....Heidelberg, Pa.

HOMESTEAD.

SECOND WARD.

Hepps, Adolph.....165 Fourth ave.....Homestead, Pa.
Martin, William.....613 Eighth ave.....Homestead, Pa.
Noroski, Frank.....709½ Eighth ave.....Homestead, Pa.
Quinn, Patrick J....513-515 517-519 Ammon st.....Homestead, Pa.
Schermer, Ruben....112 Dickson st.....Homestead, Pa.
Stewart, L. T.....321

SOCIETY

Contributions to this department must bear the name and address of the writer to insure attention.

THE date has been selected by Miss Mary S. Park for her wedding to Midshipman Raymond Robert Nellson of Far Rockaway, L. I. Miss Park has chosen Thursday of Easter week (April 19) and will have Trinity Protestant Episcopal church as the scene of the wedding. It will be an afternoon affair, and, as already stated, will be followed by a reception at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Park, in Western avenue, Allegheny. Mrs. Park and her daughter are now in New York, where they went last Wednesday on a shopping tour.

Entertain Visiting Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Emery, Jr., of Watson boulevard, Allegheny, are entertaining as their house guests, Mrs. Emery's brother-in-law, the Rev. George A. Brewer of Columbus, and her sisters, Mrs. Brewer and Miss Mary Glenn, the latter of Wooster, O. Dr. Edson Emery gave a box party at the Nixon last evening for the visitors and followed the play with supper at the Nixon restaurant. On Thursday evening Edward H. Flood was host to a party of friends on a tour of inspection over the Homestead Steel works, this also having been arranged in honor of the visitors.

Celebrate Golden Wedding.

The friends and relatives who attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Shearer in 1856 celebrated the couple's golden wedding at their home in Edgecliff, near Tarentum, yesterday. Mr. Shearer is 77 and his wife 71. Mr. and Mrs. Shearer were born in Westmoreland county, and married in Bethel Methodist Episcopal church, 6 miles from their present home. Their children are Mrs. Alex Sorbie of Oakmont, John Shearer of Edgecliff and Clifford Shearer of Emlenton.

People Coming and Going.

Mrs. Stetson Leach of Ellsworth avenue, East End, is making an extended visit at Hot Springs, Ark. She is stopping at the Hotel Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander P. Moore and their niece, Miss Mildred Mary Andrews, will leave today for Cambridge Springs and, at the conclusion of a short stay there, will go to New York and later to Atlantic City. In the former city they will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maddy.

Rumor Says Summer Wedding.

Rumor has it that the wedding of Miss Rebecca Jennings and James M. Magee will be an event of the early summer. Miss Jennings is the eldest daughter of Edward H. Jennings of Fifth avenue and her fiance is a son of Mrs. James Neale of North Highland avenue. Mrs. Neale and her daughter, Miss Louise Magee, who are spending the winter with Mrs. C. L. Magee at her villa in Rome, Italy, will not return to Pittsburgh until summer.

Closing of the Dancing Season.

Quite an important society event will be the closing cotillions of Mrs. E. Slack Davis' dancing classes this week. These classes are attended by a large number of children of representative Pittsburgh and Allegheny families, and several of the mothers will assist Mrs. Davis in distributing the favors. One class will hold its cotillion on Wednesday afternoon in Miss Stuart's school, while the second will entertain its friends in Conservatory hall on Friday afternoon.

Events of the Future.

The newly organized Danish club of Pittsburgh will hold its next social at the Hotel Lincoln, Tuesday, March 20.

This afternoon and evening the children connected with St. John the Baptist church will hold their eighth annual bazar in Union hall, Thirty-second street and Liberty avenue. They have made great preparations and promise their friends a surprise in the number of new and interesting features prepared for the occasion.

Bride-Elect to Be Honored.

Mrs. Herbert Clark Burchinal of Baum street will give a plate shower and five hundred party next Saturday afternoon, having as her guest of honor, Miss Carrie Bell Radcliffe, whose engagement to John Pollock Cameron was recently announced. Miss Radcliffe is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Radcliffe of Pacific avenue, East End. Her wedding to Mr. Cameron will take place during the spring.

Cards Out for Musicale.

Miss Davison has issued cards for a musicale which she will give at her studio in the Wallace building, Wilkinsburg, next Tuesday afternoon to hear Miss Elizabeth M. Raglin, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Raglin. The program includes numbers from Beethoven, Martini-Joseffy, Scarlatti, Boccherini-Joseffy, Chaminady, Schumann, Schubert and Liszt.

Marshall-Hamilton Wedding Day.

Miss Margaret Marshall has chosen Wednesday, April 25, as the date for her wedding to Charles Lee Hamilton. The marriage will be solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Vardy Marshall, in St. James street in the evening. Mr. Hamilton is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hamilton of North Highland avenue, East End.

Host and Hostess at Cards.

Four hand euchre was played last evening at the card party which Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reitz gave at their home, Oneida and Piermont streets, Duquesne Heights. Twelve tables were in use and there were pretty decorations of pink and white sweet peas and carnations. Miss Nettie M. Marshall assisted in entertaining the guests.

Williamson-Negley Engagement.

Albert K. Williamson of Edgewood has announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Anne St. Clair Williamson, and Harry Hull Negley of this city. The couple will have a May day wedding, Tuesday, May 1, having been set for the event, which will take place at the Williamson home.

Engagement and April Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cain of Marchand street, East End, have formally announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emily Cairns Cain, and Sidney Wallace Collins of Milwaukee, Wis. The wedding will take place very quietly at the home of the bride's parents on Thursday, April 5.

Pittsburghers in California.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fulton, all of the East End, who left Pittsburgh for western travel in January, are now in Pasadena, Cal., and will not be home until late in April. Mr. and Mrs. Adams will probably spend Easter with their daughter, Mrs. John L. Garner, in Denver.

Social Affairs of Today.

Mrs. W. H. Berger of South Linden avenue will give an informal little dinner at her home this evening.

Mrs. George E. Shaw of Morewood place will be hostess to a half dozen friends at dinner this evening.

Mrs. F. C. Negley and her daughters will observe the first at-home in their series this afternoon.

Mrs. George Hagen of Race street will give a card party and linen shower this afternoon for Miss Lavada Dean, an April bride-elect.

Points of the Corselet Skirt.

All the up-to-date young women are trying the effect of the corselet skirts. It is the novelty that they seem to have been seeking, and it is welcomed as a relief from the "pouched" fronts and folded belts. The slim and tall and gracefully proportioned will undoubtedly find themselves suited in the corselet skirt, and may venture even farther into the princess cut proper.

Several points in regard to the corselet mode are as yet indeterminate. In the first place, where are you going to get it? Some dressmakers build them to open directly up the back, but this is liable to the objection common to the blouse with a similar fastening, that it is almost impossible of unassisted adjustment. What woman could possess her soul in peace with the thought that her placket was awry?

Many of the French tailors are opening the corselet skirts to one side of the front. This is perfectly feasible where there is a panel effect up the front or where the trimming design permits of some concealment of the fastening, but what of the corselet that is fitted with pinch tucks from bust to hip? Obviously there is nothing for this but a fastening at the back.

Another point that tears the soul is whether to wear a bretelle or not to wear a bretelle. With the jacket accompaniment to the corselet skirt the bretelle is invisible, but when the jacket is removed the effect is much less that of shirt and skirt if a handsomely trimmed band of the cloth is used as a brace.

The blouse extending to the bust line—what the French call the "guimpe"—should be of a silk, plain or embroidered muslin, lace or crepe de chene. It may be plain or fulled, but a certain fluffiness is usually more becoming.

Household Notes.

Corks can be made sound and airtight by boiling.

Gum camphor placed in drawers or trunks will keep away mice.

A cloth moistened in alcohol is the best medium for cleaning the keys of a piano.

When chopping suet, sprinkle with ground rice and it will not stick to your knife.

A flannel dipped in paraffin will clean windows satisfactorily if you use a clean duster to polish the glass.

Suet that has become hard and stale may be freshened by placing in boiling water for a few moments.

Grease spots on silk can be removed by splitting a card and rubbing the spots with the soft inner part of the card.

The white of egg rubbed on the bottom crust of pie will prevent the juice from the fruit soaking through.

If you wish to keep soup for several days, allow the coating of fat which will rise when cooled to remain on the top. This renders the liquid air-tight.

Silver that is in daily use may be kept bright without continual polishing if allowed to stand for an hour in hot borax water. Rinse with clear hot water and polish with a linen towl.

Mixed on the Periods.

They were discussing the latest addition to local hosteiries, an imposing edifice of late erection. The entrance had a savor of baronial halls, but the artless dotted muslins at the latticed casements denied the suggestion.

"I wonder what its like inside?" said one fair one.

"I don't know," said her companion, "but Teddy dined there the other night and he said he couldn't tell whether it was early Pullman or late North German Lloyd. It's so hard to distinguish the different periods."

Don't Wear Bombs in Your Hair.

Feminity will note with dismay the latest tactics of the Nihilists. If the Russian lady who desecerated the "pomp" by concealing a bomb therein has brought forth a ukase against it she will gain the world-wide ill-will of her sex. We have not had so universally becoming and so readily counterfeited a style of hair-dressing in years and the reformer in question had surely no call to jeopardize a fashion for one muscovite tyrant more or less.

A Tasty "Make-Over.

A remnant of apple dumpling or apple pudding with crust may be warmed over into a fresh pudding similar to the Brown Betty of happy memory.

Break up the crust and apple lightly with a silver fork. Butter a dish and put the pudding in in nice shape. If there does not seem to be enough fruit, add some cold apple sauce or a little finely shredded raw apple. Drop in bits of butter, cover the whole with a thick layer of sugar and browned bread crumbs and set in the oven to heat.

Toilet Notes.

Olive oil is better for interior than exterior application. Swallow a tablespoonful of olive oil three times a day if troubled with innutrition. If you wish an emollient use cold cream or refined mutton tallow.

The gentlewoman uses powder. The vulgarian abuses it. On an oily skin the use of powder instead of soap and water is what discredits it with the fastidious.

Lemon juice or a stronger application made of colorless iodine will remove brown spots from the skin.

Never go to bed hungry. Morpheus prefers to be treated more hospitably and objects to that "gone feeling." A cracker, a cup of hot milk or broth will be found a splendid antidote for sleeplessness.

An application of lemon juice followed by a salt rub will whiten the hands.

Don't fill your bedroom with gew-gaws and knick-knacks to collect dust. Restful sleep comes oftener to the bedroom that is as plain and antiseptically clean as the hospital ward.

If wakeful try the following: Inhale deeply through the mouth, extending the abdomen upward as far as possible. At the point of greatest inhalation stretch the arms upward and the limbs downward as vigorously as possible. Six or eight repetitions of this exercise will cure a very bad case of insomnia.

Points to Remember.

That a cold in the head can often be cured by inhaling burnt camphor.

That brittle nails may be helped by soaking nightly in oil that has been slightly warmed.

That alcohol baths will do away with goose flesh, and rubbing with oil of sweet almonds is also very effective.

That eggs make an excellent shampoo for silver locks and a little blueing should be added to the last rinse water.

That the drinking of cold water before retiring and upon rising is just as beneficial as the drinking of hot water, if hot water proves nauseating.

That powdered rice applied on lint will stop bleeding, as will also a cobweb.

That the white of egg given to a child immediately after it has swallowed any sharp article, such as a pin, a tack or piece of glass, will often prevent serious consequences.

A Sure Harbinger of Spring.

It is in the home in the country, where there is a watchful grandmother and several children, that the best sign of spring is found. I do not know where the grandmother gets her prescience, but it is unerring.

At the very first rising of the sap, in fact before vegetation feels the first thrill of renewing life, the grandmother has the intimation. When a strange delightful pungency permeates the morning breakfast table and grandmother appears with a steaming saucepan of sassafras tea, then you may know for a certainty that spring is here.

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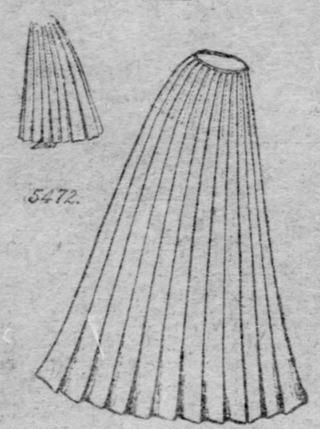

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(No 5472.) Ladies' Kilt Skirt.

A very popular model for a skirt is here shown in a development of dark blue mohair, although all the season's materials are suitable. It is shaped by 13 gores, which provide for a graceful amount of fulness at the lower edge, while the upper part fits closely about the hips. Taffeta canvas, veiling and linen will all be adaptable to the mode. The medium size will require 5¾ yards of 44-inch material.

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Ideal Wives—American and Otherwise.

"The present day woman lacks the attributes which make the ideal housewife." So says Prof. Fulda, the German author and critic in one of his recent lectures at Columbia university.

This learned gentleman from the fatherland holds that the ideal woman's ideas, instead of soaring to the clouds, should rest upon the more practical themes of children, church and kitchen—the trinity that the German empress is said to hold as her ideal.

The lecturer deplored a tendency in the modern woman to avoid the appearance of being sentimental and he found serious fault with the present day authors and playwrights for giving woman the leading role in books and plays—a prominence which he thought not good for the sex in general.

This is not the first time it has been suggested that American women and more particularly the women of our larger cities, are conceited, artificial and poor home makers. We have heard this sort of thing time and again and from various sources. The chief reason, however, for its passing over the heads of the sex is that it is a complaint neevr made by American men. As long as the American husband is fairly well contented with the American wife there is small opportunity for the reformer to advance his propaganda.

"Since garden of Eden days," said a woman of the world, "woman is practically unchanged in one particular—she likes to be pleasing to the other sex. The American woman or the Pittsburgh woman is in manner speech, dress and domestic habit precisely what she thinks the American or Pittsburgh man would like her to be."

As for the American woman in the role of mother there is this to be said—while she may not herself shove the baby's perambulator and live in the nursery morning, noon and night, she does believe in keeping abreast of her children in worldly pursuits and every-day knowledge. Her children find her a comrade of whom they need not be ashamed.

A noted educator who, during his long experience in this and other cities, has dealt with many classes of men in and out of college and found out what manner of woman the American man most admires said in regard to the German lecturer's utterances: "Schiller's heroines are totally unsuited to the twentieth century and America. To make the broth and mind the baby, as the poet puts it, is not what the American man admires solely in woman. After the honeymoon stage, happiness only follows when there is strong friendship and comradeship between man and wife. This cannot exist unless there is almost equal education and equality of mind. Fortunately there is no incompatibility between culture and education and a knowledge of housekeeping."

Men, young and old, bow down before the woman whose highest aim seems to be to interest, amuse and hold the admiration of the other sex. A man is not so apt to go about bragging of his wife's pies and he would rather pay to have the babies tended and enjoy a congenial companion.

It is the pleasure of the American to put woman first—to give her the leading role. In Germany and France women till the fields, carry baskets of coal and merchandise on their heads, propel canal boats, etc. Here woman are not asked or expected to do any of these things.

The average American's ideal woman is not a drudge neither is she a general housework servant or even a woman who excels solely in the management of a retinue of servants and there is no use pretending it is. I have never yet met a man who was really pleased if his wife made a drudge of herself. He may rejoice in her economy of household administration, but that is not what gains or holds his admiration. It is not the best housekeepers who have the most devoted husbands though every man appreciates a comfortable home. If intelligent American women have failed to follow the ideal described by Schiller it is chiefly because she has learned this is not the ideal demanded by her fellow country women.

PRINCESSE EVENING GOWN.

A charming model of French design developed in white chiffon embroidered with small pink silk roses encircled with garlands of silver. The pointed corsage is bordered with the most delicate pink chiffon rouching supported by frills of real lace, while the puffed sleeves are simply finished with bands of pink velvet ribbon.

In these days of extravagant modes it is needless to say that such a confection as the one pictured is expensive, but it can be duplicated at much less than half its original cost in any one of the newest organdies. These come in beautifully flowered patterns, and not infrequently motifs of soft lace and woven into the organdy with the floral design. The lesioon idea in embroidery is extremely popular for all evening gowns, and silver and gold threads are used to enhance the beauty of the effect. As is true of street modes, the princesse gowns are the favorite models for evening wear. They are neither extremely simple nor extremely elaborate, yet distinctively chic and charming. A number of delightful models in silk mull are also shown, being inset with Valenciennes lace and trimmed with edging to match. No decorative scheme is prettier and such a model is easily within the limits of the average dress allowance.

THE CLUBS

Contributions to this department must bear the name and address of the writer to insure attention.

Club Women Sew for Newsboys.

Thirty-five women, members of the Wimodausis club, sewed all day yesterday in Syria temple for the benefit of the Newsboys' home. Some of the women cut out the material and others basted hems, while the whirring of the six sewing machines and the chatter of the women was a happy accompaniment to the work accomplished. The women gathered together in the banquet room of the Syria temple at 10 o'clock, and after working steadily for a couple of hours lunch was served by the dining-room below. Returning to the banquet room soon after lunch, they continued their work until 5 o'clock. As a result of their industry they cut and hemmed 10 dozen Turkish towels, made 18 roller towels, each three yards in length; hemmed several dozen tea towels, made 12 pairs of sash curtains for the dining-room and several of the private rooms in the home, cut and hemmed 80 yards of linen for tablecloths in four-yard lengths and made 80 sheets. It was decided to purchase the pillowslips ready made. The Wimodausis club will also present to the home white metal knives and forks for the use of the boys.

Invitations for Annual Reception.

The Duquesne Ceramic club yesterday issued its invitations for the fourteenth annual reception and exhibition of the work of its members on Thursday evening, March 22, in the Carnegie Art galleries. The exhibition will remain open on Friday from 10 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock in the evening and on Saturday until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, when the general public is invited to inspect the work of the members of the Duquesne Ceramic club. Mrs. Van Phillips of New York has consented to act as judge in the competitive work for the three medals, gold, silver and bronze, and will receive with the officers of the club at the opening reception. Music will be furnished for that occasion by the Mendelssohn trio from the Pittsburgh conservatory. On Tuesday afternoon the club will hold its annual luncheon, when Mrs. Phillips will be the guest of honor. The luncheon will be followed by a critical talk.

Only Quarterly Meetings Hereafter.

The public baths committee, a department of the Congress of Women's clubs in Allegheny county and of the Civic club of Allegheny county, at its meeting yesterday afternoon decided to hold only quarterly meetings hereafter. The election of officers was conducted, resulting in the re-election of the former officers, who include the chairman, Mrs. Alfred Longmore; vice chairman, Mrs. Samuel L. Seymour; treasurer, Mrs. Gilliford B. Sweeney; recording secretary, Mrs. George B. Motheral; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Fremont Shafer.

Following the meeting of the committee a joint meeting of the board of managers of the Soho Bath house and the public baths committee was held, J. Boyd Duff, the president of the board, presiding. It was reported that councils had passed the ordinance appropriating $10,000 to the Soho baths and it had been signed by Mayor Hays.

Delegate Will Be Appointed.

The election of delegates from the Epoch club to the biennial meeting of the General Federation of Women's clubs in St. Paul this spring was brought up yesterday morning at the regular meeting of the club in the home of Mrs. W. C. Lyne. Home duties, the expense and other conflicting interests made it impossible to determine upon a delegate who would be sure to go, so it was decided that the president may appoint as a delegate any one of the club members who later may be willing to take the trip. The meeting was short yesterday, and only two topics were discussed. Mrs. Samuel L. Nicholson read a paper on "Gothic Sculpture," speaking particularly of statues, wood carving and stained glass. Mrs. George Oliver gave a short talk on "Monastic Orders and Monastic Architecture."

Civic Club Will Flit Soon.

The Civic club of Allegheny county is preparing for its moving day, which will be the last day of March or Monday, April 2. The club will move from its present quarters in the Methodist building, Penn avenue and Cecil alley, to a suite of three rooms in the Apollo building, 240 Fourth avenue, almost directly opposite the stock exchange.

Managers Hold Annual Festival.

The managers of the Episcopal Church home, Penn avenue and Fortieth street, have selected Thursday, May 3, as the occasion of the annual festival at the home. The entertainment, as is customary, will be for the benefit of the home, and if the weather permits there will be both indoor and outdoor features.

Notes of the Clubs.

Harold Bauer will play in Beaver, Pa., this evening under the auspices of the Women's clubs of that town.

Yesterday Professor Rudolf Tombo, Jr., registrar of Columbia university, spoke before the Germanic society in the Twentieth Century club house on "Higher Education," with special reference to Columbia university.

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FOR SALE—Material of all kinds very cheap. See W. J. Kissack, Church ave., or 2202 Bedford ave.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Presbyterian.

FORTY-THIRD STREET, U. S. Greves, pastor—11, the Rev. H. T. McClelland, field secretary of the Board of Freedmen, will preach; 7:15, the Rev. Frank Foster, field secretary of the American Tract society, will preach.

FIRST, Sixth avenue, near Wood street, Maitland Alexander, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Power of Religious Influence;" 4, "In the World, but Not Of It;" 7:45, "If Thou Hadst Known."

SHADYSIDE, Amberson avenue, near Fifth, J. Kinsey Smith, D. D., pastor—11, communion and reception of new members; 7:45, "A Tragedy of Passion; Weakness and Waste."

MANCHESTER, Franklin and Market streets, D. A. Greene, pastor—10:45, "In Grateful Remembrance;" 7:30, "Reasoning About a Life with the Judgment to Follow."

WESTMINSTER, Buena Vista street, below Taylor avenue, Allegheny, T. Ross Paden, pastor—10:45, "Love Will Prevail;" 7:45, "Hester Sorrel's Confession."

SECOND, Eighth street, S. Edward Young, D. D., pastor—11, "All Hail to the Coward Who Dares!;" 7:30, "Do We Make Our Own Hell or Heaven?"

EAST LIBERTY, Penn and Highland avenues, Frank W. Sneed, D. D., pastor—11, "Resisting the Spirit;" 7:45, "Conversion of the Eunich."

FOURTH, Evaline street, near Liberty avenue, Samuel Callen, D. D., pastor—10:45, "Kedesh Barnea;" 7:45, "The Knowledge that Excelleth."

MILLVALE, G. M. McCampbell, pastor—10:30, "Wrought Iron Christianity versus a Cast Iron Make;" 7:30, "Getting Ready for the Bridegroom."

FIRST, Arch street, Allegheny, D. S. Kennedy, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Feast;" communion, 7:45, "The Christian Temptation."

FRIENDSHIP AVENUE, John M. Gaston, pastor—11, the pastor will preach; 7:45, the Rev. Dr. H. T. McClelland will occupy pulpit.

LAWRENCEVILLE, Thirty-ninth street, A. E. Linn, D. D., pastor—11, "A Request Refused;" 7:45, "Preparation for Prayer."

NORTH, Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, H. D. Lindsay, D. D., pastor—11, "The Soul's Secret;" 7:45, "The Eyes of the Heart."

McCANDLESS AVENUE, Daniel H. McKee, pastor—10:30, "Christ Bringing Men to God;" 7:30, "Wives and Husbands."

THIRD, Fifth and South Negley avenues, W. L. McEwan, D. D., pastor—11, Communion; 8, "The Faith of Joseph."

TABERNACLE, Allan Douglas Carlile, D. D., pastor—11, "Salome's Prayer and Our's;" 7:45, "Moses' Preacher."

SIXTH, Forbes and Murray streets, J. Shane Nicholls, pastor—11, "The Practice of Hope;" 7:45, "On the Deep."

PARK AVENUE, S. L. Boston, pastor—Morning, "A Working Church;" evening, "The Church's Invitation."

EAST END, Waverly and Peebles streets, A. R. Van Fossen, pastor—11, "A Second Vision;" 7:30, "Recognition."

BELLEFIELD, Fifth and Bellefield avenues, Daniel Russell, pastor—11, usual services; no evening service.

United Presbyterian.

SHADYSIDE, Center avenue and Cypress street, J. K. McClurkin, D. D., pastor—11, "The Personal Message from the Beloved Disciples," sermon by the Rev. Ernest Orr; 7:45, "Rocks Upon Which to Build."

SIXTH, North Highland avenue, R. M. Russell, D. D., pastor—11, "The Post-Ascension Message of Christ to the Church in Philadelphia;" 7:45, "Looking for the Blessed Hope."

FIRST, Fifth avenue, Oakland, W. J. Reid, pastor—10:45, "The First Worshipers;" 4, "Human Agency; Divine Achievement," by the Rev. Dr. Alexander Gilchrist.

FIFTH, Fillmore street and Irwin avenue, Allegheny, J. G. Kennedy, pastor—11, "Three Voices of God's Attitude Toward Sin;" 7:30, "Two Positions Regarding Sin."

HOMEWOOD AVENUE, Homewood avenue and Idlewild street, W. E. McCulloch, pastor—11, "The Salt of the Earth;" 7:45, "The Young Man's Temptations."

FOURTH, Allegheny, Thomas Park, D. D., pastor—11, "What Christ Is to Us;" 7:45, address on the student's volunteer convention by Earl D. Miller.

SECOND, North Negley avenue, S. W. McKelvey, pastor—11, "The Religion of Song;" 7:45, "Three Steps to the Throne and the Crown of Life."

ELEVENTH, California and Davis avenues, Allegheny, C. F. Wishart, pastor—11, "A Nation's Birth;" 7:45, "Our Brother's Keeper."

EIGHTH, Perrysville and Euclid avenues, Allegheny, W. I. Wishart, pastor—10:30 and 7:45, preaching by the Rev. E. M. Milligan.

ELEVENTH, 220 Main street, West End, W. R. Thompson, pastor—10:30, "Confidence in God's Promises;" 7:30, usual service.

FIRST, Braddock, Parker avenue, G. E. Hawes, pastor—"The Spirit as Another Teacher;" 7:30, "Jesus Standing By."

THIRD, Diamond street, J. T. McCrory, D. D., pastor—10:45, communion; 7:45, "Persons Commended by Jesus Christ."

SECOND, Allegheny, W. H. McMillan, D. D., pastor—11, "The Motive of Christian Service;" 7:30, "Joshua at Shecem."

FOURTH, Pacific and Friendship avenues, H. H. Martin, pastor—11, "Comfort;" 7:45, "Foundations of Faith."

FIRST, Crafton, J. A. Alexander, pastor—11, "The Unrecognized Companion;" 7:45, "The March Home."

KNOXVILLE, W. H. McMurray, pastor—3, address by J. Campbell White; 7:45, gospel service.

Baptist.

MAPLE AVENUE, T. J. Edwards, pastor—10:45, "Creating a Spiritual Atmosphere;" 7:45, "Conflicts and Victories in Coming to Christ;" Prof. H. P. Stout, singing evangelist, will sing at both these services and will conduct a men's meeting at 3 o'clock.

SHADY AVENUE, Shady avenue, near Penn, W. A. Stanton, pastor—"The Production and Perfecting of the New Life;" 7:45, "The Night Jesus Was Anointed."

WYLIE AVENUE, Conklin street and Wylie avenue, D. Lowell, pastor—11, usual service; 7:45, "No Future Hope for the Wicked Beyond This Life."

UNION, South Nineteenth, below Carson street, A. A. Nellis, pastor—10:30, "God's Fellow Laborers;" 7:30, "What Is Your Name?"

OAKLAND, A. R. Stark, pastor—10:45, "Some Distinct Characteristics Produced by the Holy Spirit;" 7:45, "Receiving Jesus."

BETH-EDEN, Chartiers street, Allegheny J. S. Hutson, pastor—10:45, "Spiritual Transformation;" 7:30, "Hearing and Doing."

FIRST, McKeesport, J. A. Maxwell, pastor—10:30, "Amendments to Character;" 7:30, "Seeing Ourselves in Others."

LORENZ AVENUE, West End, L. P. Valentine, pastor—10:45, "Our God in the Midst;" 7:45, "Perils of Neglect."

HOMEWOOD, George W. Taft, pastor—11, "Job's Captivity Turned;" 7:45, "A Thorough Investigation."

Methodist Protestant.

FIRST, Union avenue, Allegheny, S. K. Spahr, pastor—10:30, "The Secret of Power;" 7:45, Evangelistic sermon by the Rev. F. P. Hommel.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Lutheran.

ST. MATTHEW'S, Crafton, W. E. Brown, pastor—10:30, sermon by Prof. David H. Bauslin, D. D., Springfield, O., president of the General Synod; 3, sermon by Rev. S. T. Nicholas, Middletown, Pa., also address by Rev. C. B. King, of Allegheny; 7:45, sermon by Rev. Wm. J. Bucher, of Braddock.

BETHEL, Allegheny, Franklin and Manhattan streets, C. B. King, pastor—10:30, "A Special Duty After Conversion;" 7:45, sermon by the Rev. D. S. Bauslin, D. D., of Wittenburg seminary, Springfield, O.

BETHANY, Highland avenue and Kirkwood street, G. M. Heindel, D. D., supply pastor—11, "The Meaning of Suffering and of Life's Trials;" 7:45, "The Large Heartedness of the Gospel."

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER, Mt. Vernon street and Lang avenue, Robt. W. Woods, pastor—11, "Passed from Death Unto Life;" 7:45, "The Appointed Seasons of the Soul."

FIRST, New Kensington, U. A. Hankey, pastor—11, "The Savior Knocking at the Door of the Heart;" 7:30, "Idle Words, Lying, Profanity, Failing to Keep Promises."

TRINITY, Allegheny, Stockton avenue and Arch street, A. J. Turkle, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Work of Christians;" 7:45, "The Standard of Righteousness."

CHURCH OF THE ATONEMENT, 814 Anderson street, H. C. Erdman, pastor—11, "Refused, Yet Granted;" 7:45, "Prison Celebrities—John the Baptist."

ST. MARK'S, Allegheny, North avenue and Middle street, Ell Miller, pastor—11, "Cheerful Giving;" 7:45, "The Conversion of the Malefactor."

CHRIST'S, Wilmerding, Harry C. Michael, pastor—10:45, "The Strong One and the Stronger One;" 7:45, "Let No Man Deceive You."

MT. OLIVET, Allegheny, Rhine street and Robinson road, J. H. Keller, pastor—7:30 p. m., "Unbelief Discovered Through Trial."

CHRIST'S, Millvale, S. E. Smith, pastor—10:45, "Imitators of God;" 7:45, "The Strong One-Armed and the Stronger Than He."

CALVARY, Wilkinsburg, J. Bradley Markward, pastor—11, "Unseen Nourishments of Life;" 7:45, "They Shall See His Face."

FIRST ENGLISH, Sharpsburg, J. Harry Main, pastor—11, "The Growth of the Soul—The Prospects;" 7:45, "False Refugees."

ALPHA, Turtle Creek, Matt. Stan. Kemp, pastor—11, "The Third Temptation of Jesus;" 7:30, "The Young Man Matthew."

ST. JAMES, Arlington avenue and Williams street, J. H. Keller, pastor—10:45, "The Incomplete Faith of the Disciples."

MT. ZION, Forty-fourth and Sherman streets, C. P. Wiles, pastor—10:45, "On Which Side Are We?" 7:45, "Hannah."

FIRST, Duquesne, W. Ira Guss, pastor—10:45, "The Security of Believers;" 7:45, "Crossing the Jordan."

MT. ZION, Franklin road, Allegheny, T. S. Brown, pastor—10:30, "With or Against;" 7:45, usual service.

EMMANUEL, Etna, J. M. Guss, pastor—10:30, "Likeness to God;" 7:30, "Jehovah's Claim."

FIRST, Aspinwall, Herman C. Keller, pastor—11, "The Eighth Commandment."

MESSIAH, Homestead, W. C. Speyde, pastor—7:30, "Satan, Our Hinderer."

Christian.

KNOXVILLE, Knox and Charles streets, Fred M. Gordon, pastor—10:45 and 7:45, the Rev. Dr. T. E. Cramblett of Bethany college will occupy the pulpit at both services.

FIRST, Arch street and Montgomery avenue, Allegheny, Wallace Tharp, D. D., pastor—10:45, "The Problem of Personal Power;" 7:45, "The First and Second Resurrections."

CENTRAL, Pride street, near Fifth avenue, C. L. Thurgood, pastor—10:30, "Joshua of Jericho and Ai;" 7:45, "Apostolic Fishing and Landing the Fish."

SHADY AVENUE, Allegheny, Grant E. Pike, pastor—10:45, "Cleanliness and Godliness;" 7:45, "Responsibility In and Out of the Church."

EAST END Highland and Alder streets, John G. Slayter, pastor—11, W. H. Pinkerton will speak; 7:45, "Thy King Come."

FIRST, Ellwood City, Ferd F. Schultz, pastor—10:45, "At the Gate Beautiful;" 7:45, "What Have I to Do With Thee?"

BELMAR, Race and Sterrett streets, E. E. Manley, pastor—11, "By Way of Remembrance;" 7:45, "Faith Tests."

HERRON HILL, J. D. Dabury, pastor—10:45, "The Effect of Our Motto;" 7:45, "Warnings and Invitations."

M'KEES ROCKS, S. E. Brewster, pastor—J. B. Grier will preach morning and evening.

Reformed.

GRACE, Fourth street and Viola avenue, Duquesne, D. B. Lady, D. D., pastor—11, "Preserving and Cherishing Our Inheritance and Support;" 7:30, "The Stranger and Sojourner on Earth, His Destination."

ST. LUKE'S, Fourth street and Camp avenue, Braddock, John J. Leberman, D. D., pastor—11, "Conflict Between the Kingdom of Darkness and the Kingdom of Light;" 7:30, "The Proper Fruits of the Christian."

GRACE, Bayard and Dithridge streets, John H. Prugh, D. D., pastor—11, sermon by the Rev. Frank Foster of Cincinnati, O.; 7:45, "An Old Picture in a New Frame."

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, Termon avenue, Allegheny, Albert C. Dieffenbach, pastor—11, "The Appeal to the Will;" 7:45, "Where Is Truth?"

ST. MARK'S, North Highland avenue and Harvard street, John H. Dietrich, pastor—11, "The Atrophy of Powers Through Disuse;" 7:45, "Money."

TRINITY, Rebecca and Coal streets, Wilkinsburg, Lewis Robb, pastor—11, "What Is the Kingdom of Heaven?" 7:30, "The Tenth and the Altar."

FIRST, Union and Library avenues, McKeesport, Aaron Noll, pastor—10:30, "Loyalty to the Church;" 7:30, "The Saved Added to the Church."

ST. PAUL'S, Forty-fourth street, near Butler, Henry Holliger, pastor—10:45, "Jesus Before the Governor;" 7:45, "Jesus Rejected."

TRINITY, New Kensington, John A. Leuzinger, pastor—11, "What Manner of Persons Ought We to Be?" 7:30, "Restitution."

CHRIST, Hamilton and Lang avenues, J. Grant Walter, pastor—11, "The Helpless Hand;" 7:45, "Joining the Church."

CALVARY, Turtle Creek, T. R. Dietz, pastor—11, "Placed Among God's Children;" 7:30, "The Fall of Man."

IMMANUEL'S, Ellwood City, A. K. Kline, pastor—11, "Your Sins Cannot Be Hid;" 3, "Our Redemption."

Methodist Episcopal.

SIMPSON, Liberty street near Chestnut, Allegheny, Howard E. Lloyd, pastor—10:45, "The Attractive Power of Jesus Christ;" 7:30, address to the Boys' brigade by the Rev. Dr. J. P. Starkey.

NORTH AVENUE, North avenue and Arch street, Allegheny, Chas. W. Bledgett, D. D., pastor—10:30, "Caleb, the Son of Jephunneh;" 7:45, "St. Patrick, Ireland and the Irish."

MARY S. BROWN MEMORIAL, Beechwood boulevard and Hazelwood avenue, C. V. Wilson, D. D., pastor—10:30, "The Open Eye;" 7:30, "Passing Away."

WEST END, Main street near Western, D. Flanigan, pastor—10:30, "Conversion;" 7:30, the Rev. G. S. Bagget will preach followed by revival services.

EMORY, Highland avenue and Broad street, W. R. Wedderspoon, D. D., pastor—11, address by Miss Purdy; 7:45, a musicale, "Jerusalem the Golden."

OAKLAND, Forbes and Bouquet streets, J. W. G. Fast, pastor—10:45, "Discipline—A Preparation for Life's Conquest;" 7:45, "Religion of Reality."

HERRON HILL, Anderson and Herron streets, James E. Williams, pastor—10:45, "The Cry of the Heart;" 7:45, "Not Conformed but Transformed."

BUENA VISTA STREET, Allegheny, W. R. Moore, pastor—10:30, "The End of the Indifferent;" 7:45, "All Things Wait Upon the King."

GRACE, Soho street and Fifth avenue, B. B. Evans, pastor—3 p. m., preaching by William Dean, revival services.

PACIFIC AVENUE, Dearborn street, Earl C. Lindsey, pastor—Usual services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

CENTENARY, J. H. Denliston, pastor—11, "The Slumber of Death." 7:30, "Found Out."

SMITHFIELD STREET, W. H. W. Rees, D. D., pastor—Usual services 11 and 8.

Unitarian.

FIRST, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, L. Kaltar Mason, pastor—11, "Why Death, Suffering and Sin."

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Protestant Episcopal.

TRINITY, Sixth avenue, A. W. Arundel, D. D., rector—8, Communion in chapel; 10:45, Morning prayer and sermon by the rector on "Consecration and Concentration;" 7:45, Evening prayer, choral and sermon by rector, subject "The Four Vows."

CHRIST, Union avenue, Allegheny, R. Meech, D. D., rector—8:30, Communion; 10:30, Morning prayer, communion and sermon by rector; 7:45, Evening prayer and sermon by the associate rector, the Rev. E. H. Young.

Reformed Presbyterian.

EIGHTH STREET—10:30, "Peter's Faith at the Miraculous Draught of Fishes;" 3, "In the Setting of Christ's Kingdom All Necessary Things Will Be Added;" both sermons by the Rev. Dr. H. H. George, Beaver Falls, Pa.

Christian Science.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, Clyde street near Fifth avenue—Usual services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., subject "Reality."

Miscellaneous.

Y. M. C. A., Penn avenue and Seventh street—Noon today Sabbath school teachers' meeting conducted by the Rev. W. J. Reid; 7:45, young men's meeting conducted by C. H. Langbein; 4 p. m. tomorrow, young men's meeting addressed by the Rev. C. F. Wishart; 5, Bible class taught by E. A. Young.

REFORM CONGREGATION RODEPH SHALOM, Carnegie hall, Allegheny, J. Leonard Levy, D. D., rabbi—10:30 a. m., the Rev. Dr. S. Schulam of New York city will speak on "As Others See Us and As We See Ourselves."

EVANGELICAL PROTESTANT, Smithfield street and Sixth avenue, C. A. Voss, pastor—10:30, "The Word of the Cross," sermon in German; 7:30, "Lenten Thoughts," sermon in English.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Penn and Brushton avenues, W. Frank Silvers, D. D., pastor—Morning, "Christian Culture;" evening, "Destiny of the Wicked."

WYLIE AVENUE CHURCH, Wylie avenue and Congress street, C. H. Pridgeon, pastor—10:45, Communion; 3 and 8 p. m., usual services.

FIRST SPIRITUALIST, Allegheny, 24 West Lacock street, George C. Day, speaker—regular services, 2:45 and 7:45 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST, Sandusky street, Allegheny, George B. Storking, D. D., pastor—10:30, "Extending the Spiritual Territory."

FIRST SPIRITUALIST, Homestead, Mrs. Celia Murtha Clifford, medium—Services Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA, 343 Second avenue—3:30, Sunday school; 8:30, evening service.

LEGAL NOTICES.

J. M. SHIELDS, Attorney-at-Law, 502 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. In re estate of Elizabetha or Elizabeth Bock, deceased, No. 2 February term, 1906, orphans' court of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania. To George Bock, Jr., otherwise John George Bock, his heirs, devisees or vendees: Take notice, that on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1906, there was presented to the orphans' court of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, the petition of Albert Bock praying the court to award an inquest in partition of the real estate of said decedent to and among the parties entitled thereto in accordance with law, and that said court thereupon granted a citation returnable Wednesday, the 20th day of June, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., commanding George Bock, Jr., otherwise John George Bock, his heirs, devisees or vendees, to be and appear before the judges of said court on or before Wednesday, the 20th day of June, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., then and there to show cause, if any he might have, why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted, and directing that publication of said citation be made. Robert E. Stone, clerk of orphans' court.

T. MERCER MORTON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 119-120 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 721 June term, 1905. Myrtle Farrar, by her next friend, vs. Lewis Farrar. And now to wit: March 1, 1906, on motion the court appoint Thomas Lowry, Esq., commissioner, to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court (Seal). By the court. From the record, Wm. B. Kirker, prothonotary. To Lewis Farrar, respondent: You will please take notice that the undersigned having been appointed commissioner to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the offices of T. Mercer Morton, Esq., Nos. 119-120 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Friday, the 13th day of April, 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m., when and where you may attend if you see proper. Thomas Lowry, commissioner.

JOHN BRADEN M'ADOO, Attorney-at-Law, 620 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration C. T. A. on the estate of Frederick Eckoff Eckert, Sr., deceased, late of Mifflin township, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Mrs. Annie M. Martin, administratrix, Wilkinsburg, Pa. R. F. D. No. 1.

THOSE whom it may concern will take notice that a public session will be held at the United States Engineers' office, No. 1050 Main st., Wheeling, W. Va., on Thursday, March 29, commencing at 11 a. m., Central standard time, to hear any objections that may be made to the proposed highway bridge to be built from the foot of Forty-eighth street, Bellaire, Ohio, to the foot of Second street, Benwood, W. Va., in accordance with an act to authorize the construction of bridge across the Ohio river.
THE BELLAIRE, BENWOOD AND WHEELING BRIDGE CO.,
JAS. H. McCRADY, President.

J. HOWARD GLEASON, Attorney-at-Law, 524 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Josephine Tatnall, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. W. P. Tatnall, H. G. Tatnall, executors, 940 Washington st., Allegheny, Pa., or 6402 Hamilton ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

McKENNA & McKENNA, Attorneys-at-Law, 433 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Michael F. McGuire, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Stephen J. Toole, executor, Third ave. and Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WM. E. RALSTON Attorney-at-Law, No. 230 Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Wm. Brooke, deceased, late of Penn township, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Mrs. Annie M. Martin, administratrix, Wilkinsburg, Pa. R. F. D. No. 1.

J. C. McCOMBS, Attorney-at-Law, 422 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Charles A. Church, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Alleghany county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Eliza A. Church, 4937 Second ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

GEORGE N. MONRO, JR., Attorney-at-Law, Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that auxiliary letters of administration C. T. A. on the estate of John F. Jones, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Auxiliary Administrator, C. T. A., Wood st. and Fourth ave.

F. P. SPROUL, Attorney-at-Law, No. 433 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Elizabeth Dohrman, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Rachel Dohrman, F. A. Dohrman, executors, No. 930 Lincoln ave., Allegheny, Pa.

McKENNA & McKENNA, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 433 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob F. Teutsch, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Annie Teutsch, Executrix, No. 41 Independent street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, April 2, 1906, by William J. Payne, Sr., William J. Payne, Jr., and William E. Best, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "William J. Payne & Sons Company," the character and object of which is doing a general contracting business, in performing all work necessary for the erection and completion of buildings of all descriptions, including the razing of old structures; excavating, stone, brick, cement and stone work, and all other work necessary in the completion or erection of new buildings, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly, and supplements thereto. Wm. E. Best, solicitor, 703 Bank for Savings building, Pittsburgh.

T. MERCER MORTON, Attorney-at-Law, 119-120 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 223, September term, 1905. Edward E. Hayes vs. Alvina F. Hayes. And now to wit: March 2, 1906, on motion the court appoint F. C. Grote, Esq., commissioner, to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court (Seal). By the court. From the record, Wm. B. Kirker, prothonotary. To Alvina F. Hayes, respondent: You will please take notice that the undersigned, having been appointed commissioner to take testimony in the above case and report the same to court, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the office of T. Mercer Morton, Esq., Nos. 119-120 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Thursday, the 12th day of April, at 3 o'clock p. m., when and where you may attend if you see proper. F. C. Grote, commissioner.

DUFF & CARMACK, Attorneys-at-Law, 212 Bakewell bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Salathiel J. Hooper, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make

SMALL NET CHANGES IN NEW YORK STOCKS

Continued Liquidation in Consolidated Gas and Missouri Pacific the Only Prominent Features. Local Mining Stocks Active.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was a slight increase in trading on the New York stock exchange yesterday, the total sales reaching 565,800 shares. The business was unevenly distributed, and outside a few specialties net changes for the day were small.

Liquidation continued in Consolidated Gas and Missouri Pacific, and these were the only stocks prominent for wide fluctuations or active dealings. Consolidated Gas made a new low record, selling at 143¾, and closed with a net decline of 1¾ per cent. The continued decline in this stock represents fears of genuine investors that a large reduction in the dividend will be rendered necessary by the cut in gas. Another drive was made against Missouri Pacific and that stock broke to 83. In the late dealings, however, there was a recovery to 86¼, and the final sale was at an advance of 1 per cent compared with Thursday night. Atchison closed ⅝ per cent lower, but the remainder of the western railroads closed fractionally higher. Pennsylvania closed ⅛ lower, while Reading closed ½ higher. Wabash preferred closed 1⅝ per cent lower, probably in sympathy with the early weakness in Missouri Pacific. Southern Railway closed unchanged, while Louisville & Nashville gained 1½ per cent.

The copper stocks were quieter than for some time past, and closed at small net changes. American Smelting closed ⅛ lower and National Lead closed unchanged.

The iron and steel group closed firmer, but this department, like all the others, displayed little change in tone or price. United States Steel common closed ¼ and the preferred ½ higher. The pamphlet report of the corporation for the year 1905 was given out during the day, but its effect upon the market had been discounted by the publication of the quarterly reports. The annual report showed gross receipts of $583,331,775, an increase of $140,926,306 over 1904. The net earnings were $119,787,668, an increase of $46,611,126. The surplus remaining after interest payments, dividends on the preferred stock, charges for depreciation, and appropriations for new construction and improvements, was $17,065,815, an increase of $12,017,962. This surplus is equivalent to about 3¼ per cent on the total amount of common stock outstanding. The common stock sold off to 40¼ early in the session, but after the publication of the annual report rallied to 40⅝, although there was at no time any animation to the dealings.

The rates for call loans did not get above 6 per cent, and late in the session, after all needs had been practically supplied, the rate declined to 2½ per cent, the lowest of the week, closing at that figure. Forecasts of today's bank statement include a considerable reduction in loans and the probability of an increase in surplus reserve, since the net change in the movements of money were very small. Following is a statement of receipts and disbursements as compiled by one of the Wall street news agencies: The banks received from the interior $6,663,300 this week and sent to the interior $4,873,400, a gain from the interior of $1,789,900. The receipts of new gold were $812,900. Ordinary disbursements by sub-treasury were $26,411,000; extraordinary disbursements were $1,700,000, making total disbursements of $22,111,100. Payments by the banks to the sub-treasury were $24,691,000. The loss on sub-treasury operations proper was $2,472,900. The total gain from interior and new gold was $2,602,800. Deducting loss on sub-treasury operations proper the net gain was $122,900.

Out of total sales of 30,400 shares handled on the Pittsburgh exchange, nearly 28,000 shares consisted of mining stocks. The chief contributor to the activity was Cable Consolidated, on which official quotations were recorded for the first time, the stock having been listed on the exchange after the close of the market on Thursday. It started off with 500 shares at $1.35 (par $1), and on sales of 24,000 shares declined to and closed at $1.25. Tonopah Extension closed $1 a share lower at 12, while Ohio Tonopah closed a shade higher at 48c. In the remainder of the list the largest dealings were in Crucible Steel, which closed a shade firmer, and United States Glass, which rallied to 80. American Sewer Pipe was rather heavy, declining to 35½. National Fire Proofing preferred closed a fraction lower at 26, while Harbison-Walker preferred was unchanged at 80. Manufacturers Light and Heat was heavy and on light transactions declined to 32, closing at 31⅞ asked. The coal stocks were extremely dull but firmer. Westinghouse Electric declined to and closed at 80⅞. The remainder of the market was without feature.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

500	Cable Consol.	1.35	
50	do	1.34	
2000	do	1.30	
300	do	1.30	
200	do	1.29	
200	do	1.30	
100	do	1.30	
100	do	1.30	
100	do	1.30	
100	do	1.29	
1000	do	1.29	
100	do	1.29	
500	do	1.28	
100	do	1.26	
100	do	1.30	
700	do	1.29	
100	do	1.29	
400	Cable Consol.	1.30	
100	do	1.29	
100	do	1.29	
100	do	1.29	
100	do	1.29	
100	do	1.30	
100	do	1.30	
100	do	1.29	
50	Con. Ice com.		11¾
100	do		12
100	do		12
50	Crucible com.		14¾

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

20	Ohio Fuel	38¼	
1000	Cable Consol.	1.27	
1000	do	1.28	
50	do	1.28	
25	do	1.28	
100	do	1.28	
50	do	1.28	
1000	do	1.27	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

500	Cable Consol.	1.26	
300	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
400	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
200	do	1.26	
400	do	1.26	
50	do	1.27	
1100	do	1.26	
200	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
500	do	1.26	
1200	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
10	Ohio Fuel	38	
50	Sewer Pipe	35½	
50	do	35½	
10	P. Pl. Glass	115	
450	Tonopah Ext.	12½	
20	do	12¼	
100	do	12¼	
50	Cable Consol.	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
500	do	1.26	
1000	do	1.26	
600	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
400	Ohio Tonopah	.48	
100	do	.48	
50	F. Proof pfd.	26	
50	do	26	
16	do	26	
14	Riv. Coal pfd.	72	
50	U. S. Glass	80	
50	Ohio Fuel	38	
50	do	38	
15	Electric 2nds	81	
5	do	81	
5	do	81	
40	do	80½	
10	P. Brew. com	28¾	
50	do	28¾	
10	Mfrs. L. & H.	32	
50	do	32	
50	Marsden	23½	
45	do	23¾	
100	do	23¾	
45	P. Coal pfd.	55½	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

100	Cable Consol.	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
200	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
500	do	1.25	
500	do	1.26	
100	do	1.26	
200	do	1.26	
10	P. Brw. com.	28½	
65	Crucible com.	15¼	
50	H.W. R. com.		11¾
25	H. W. R. pfd.		80
40	P. Brew. com.		28¾
40	Crucible pfd.		73¾
3	do		73½
70	P. Oil & Gas.		45
50	Tonopah Ext.		12¾
100	do		12

Summary.

STOCKS.	High	Low.	Last Sale.	Chge.
Sales.				
24064 Cable Consol.	1.35	1.25	1.25	...
10 Cons. Ice com.	8½	8½	8½	0
445 Crucible Steel	15⅞	14⅝	15⅛	+ ⅝
325 Do preferred	80½	*79½	*79½	0
50 Fire Proof pfd.	26	26	26	— ⅛
50 H.-W. Refrac.	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	— ⅛
25 Do preferred	80	80	80	0
10 Ind. Brewing	13½	13½	13½	— ⅝
4 Do preferred	40¼	40½	40½	+ ¼
65 Mfrs. L. & H.	32	32	32	— ½
100 Marsden	23½	23½	23½	— ¼
255 Ohio Fuel	38¼	38	38⅜	— ¼
2900 Ohio Tonopah	48	48	48	+ .01
300 Pgh. Brewing	28⅝	28¼	28¼	— ¼
20 Do preferred	49¾	49¾	49¾	— ¼
55 Pgh. Coal pfd.	56	55½	55½	+ ½
70 Pgh. Oil & Gas	48	48	48	— 2
11 Pgh. Plate Glass	115	115	115	0
59 River Coal pfd.	23½	23	23¼	+ ⅛
100 Sewer Pipe	35½	35½	35½	— ½
920 Tonopah Ext.	12⅛	12	12	— ¼
125 United Copper	67	67	67	— 1⅛
233 U. S. Glass	80	80	80	+ ¼
85 West. Elec. 2nds	81	80⅝	80½	— 1
20409				
BONDS.				
$1000 Ind. Brew. 6s	107⅝	107⅜	107⅜	0
WARRANTS.				
$1 2-5 Pgh. Plate Glass	12½	12½	12½	0

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange		7600	9000
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Arsenal Bank	50	142	....
Allegheny National Bank	50	115	....
Diamond National	100	....	425
Duquesne National	100	....	285
Farmers Deposit National	100	1200	1450
Fidelity Title and Trust	100	522	....
German National Bank	100	270	280
Iron City Trust	100	120	....
Marine National	100	....	150
Monongahela National	100	293	....
Merchants Savings and Trust	50	82½	85
Traders and Mechanics	50	76	....
Allegheny Banks—			
Second National	100	....	125
Miscellaneous—			
Amer. Window Glass pfd.	100	30½	....
American Sewer Pipe	100	34	35½
Citizens Traction	50	70¼	....
Consolidate Ice	50	8½	9
Do preferred	50	40	40¼
Crucible Steel	100	14⅞	15
Do preferred	100	79½	80
Cable Con. Mine	1	1.22	1.25
H.-W. Co. pfd.	100	78½	80
Independent Brewing	50	13½	14
Do preferred	50	40½	....
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	31¾	31⅞
Marsden	100	2½	3
Monongahela River Coal	50	8	....
Monongahela Water	25	37	38
National Fire Proofing	50	8	8½
Do preferred	50	25½	26
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	38	38¼
Ohio Tonopah Mining	1	.48	.49
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	47½	48½
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	28¾	28½
Do preferred	50	49	50
Pittsburgh Coal	100	....	15¼
Do preferred	100	55½	....
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	....	115
Standard Underground Cable	100	....	225
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	12	12½
United Copper	100	67	67½
Union Switch & Signal	50	....	87½
United States Glass	100	79½	....
United States Steel	100	....	40½
Do preferred	100	106	106
Westinghouse Electric	50	80⅞	81
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	....	154
West Penn Ry. pfd.	100	....	76
BONDS			
Ind. Brewing 6s	....	107¼	107½
North Side Bridge 6s	....	97	....
P. & A. Tel. 5s	....	82½	83¼
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	115	....
West Penn Ry. 5s	....	100¼	....

Unlisted Securities.

(Reported by Geo. W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas	30	....
Union Natural Gas	108	....
Fayette County Gas	98	99
Pure Oil	7	....
Dominion Gas	70	....
Rock Run Fuel Gas	....	45
Window Glass Machine com.	....	6
Window Glass Machine pref.	....	15
Nat. Union Fire Ins.	150	....
Penna. Fire	62	64
Ophir King	....	.28
Resting Springs Mining	....	.17
Stewart Creek Mining Co.	....	.62
Red Rock Mining Co.	....	.10
Golden Anchor Mining Co.	1.35	1.37
Coast Range Mining Co.	....	.35
Oriental & Masbate Mining Co.	.16	.18
Black Hills Copper (Ariz.)	.37	.38
Jim Butler	1.15	....
Denver Bullfrog	....	1.50
Monarch-Pgh.	....	.30
Pig O'Brien	....	.50
Sandstorm Extension	....	.19
BONDS.		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s	....	95
*Union Steels 5s	98½	100
*Ohio Valley Water	....	98½
SALES.		
200 shares Black Hills	....	.37
3000 shares Black Hills	....	.38
1000 shares Black Hills	....	.38
5000 shares Black Hills	....	.37
2300 shares Black Hills	....	.38
200 shares Jim Butler	....	1.15
100 shares Golden Anchor	....	1.38
500 shares Golden Anchor	....	1.36
1000 shares Resting Spring Mining	....	.18
1200 shares Black Hills	....	.38
700 shares Golden Anchor	....	1.36

*And interest.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The continued firmness of the New York call money market and an appreciable advance in the interest rates for time loans were disappointing to the supposition that Wednesday's dividend disbursements were alone responsible for the firmer tone of the money market, as the effect of the free distribution of dividend money should be felt in the money market by this time. The estimates of the week's currency movement indicated a gain upon balance from the interior by express about sufficient to offset the loss on sub-treasury operations. This is in contrast with an estimated loss of over $1,000,000 to the interior by the express movement of last week. New York exchange at Chicago, however, fell back to a small discount yesterday after having ruled at a premium earlier in the week. Foreign exchange also reacted slightly from yesterday's strength, although foreign money rates were reported to be still tight. Some part of the strong recovery in foreign exchange this week is attributed to the demand for remittance on account of maturities of large borrowings from foreigners. It is a question what effect this repayment of obligations to foreign markets may have on the loan account of the New York banks.

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The foreign trade statement for February showed the gratifying excess of value of merchandise exports over imports of $31,317,766, compared with $7,376,486 in February of last year. This increase in value of total exports comparing the same periods is more than $11,000,000 greater than the increase in agricultural exports alone, thus indicating the expansion in manufactured articles of export. The week's exports of grain, however, show a falling off of over 500,000 bushels of wheat and of over 250,000 bushels of corn compared with last week.

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The announcement of the sudden death of S. W. B. Moorhead caused genuine sorrow in local financial circles yesterday. Formerly as a newspaper man and for the past four years as president of the Moorhead Publishing Company, he was known to nearly every broker and banker in the city and was appreciated not only for his ability in his special work, but for his genial disposition and all the qualities which go to form a manly man.

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Louisville & Nashville was a conspicuous figure in the advancing tendency. The only news on the stock was the revival of a rumor many times heard before of a proposed increase in the dividend rate to adjust the interest for carrying the control of the property by the Atlantic Coast Line's holdings.

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The narrow movement of the United States Steel stocks on the publication of the annual report was an example of the professional limits of the market and the languid interest in it. The impressiveness of the details of the vast and complex operations shown in the report is not of the kind to appeal at once to stock market sentiment. The general terms of the annual income statement were sufficiently well known already.

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Scully, Palmer & Beech were the largest sellers of Cable Consolidated, disposing of about 5,000 shares the first two hours. R. C. Hall was a large buyer. During the latter part of the session all the prominent brokers figured in the dealings, a portion of which represented efforts to scalp a few points out of the fluctuations.

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All of the local natural gas stocks closed lower on light transactions. The coal stocks remained extremely dull but steady, and producers are beginning to doubt whether a strike of coal miners would have any particular effect upon the market.

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Pittsburgh Brewing common and preferred both closed a fraction lower. The street regards as absurd the report that the weakness of the last two days was due to the discussion of the ethics involved in the holding of brewing securities as investment by officers of Sunday schools.

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The rally in American Sewer Pipe did not hold, and on the subsidence of activity the price declined and closed ½ lower for the day.

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The American Nut and Bolt Faster Company has declared a dividend of 6 per cent, or $3 a share, on its capital stock, payable March 26.

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The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railway has declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable April 2.

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The quarterly rental of 1⅜ per cent on the stock of the Metropolitan Street railway will be paid April 6 to stock of record March 24.

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The West End street railway of Boston has declared the usual rental dividend of $1.75 a share on the common stock, payable April 2.

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The Southern New England Telephone Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent, payable April 15.

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The Detroit United Railway Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent, payable May 1.

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The Western Stone Company has declared the regular dividend of 1 per cent, payable March 31.

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It is officially stated that there are about 6,200 stockholders of the Standard Oil Company. A large majority of the stockholders only hold small amounts.

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A Philadelphia dispatch said: The anthracite coal operating companies have adopted a policy aiming to prevent all speculation in coal. The companies will not supply any large amount of coal to dealers beyond current needs.

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Chicago dispatch: Soft coal today reached $3 a ton, the highest price in three years. The bituminous coal activity is partially due to cold weather. The anthracite movement has declined.

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A bitter fight will be made against the bill which it is proposed to introduce into the New York assembly and which has for its object the placing of stock brokers under state supervision. The bill provides among other things that each concern doing a stock brokerage business shall deposit with the state controller $100,000 in federal, state or municipal bonds, and that brokers shall be required to report to their condition every three months. The greatest objection to the bill is the deposit of $100,000 in bonds. If such a bill would become a law it would compel the retirement of scores of brokers, depreciate the value of stock exchange seats and reduce the business of the stock exchange to an enormous extent, and this in turn would affect the state's revenue from the stock transfer tax.

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An issue of $7,400,000 4 per cent 50-year refunding Alabama state bonds has been sold to a syndicate composed of Ladenburg, Thalman & Co. and W. E. Salomon & Co. of New York, the First National bank of Montgomery, Ala., and others. The rate paid was 104.134, a basis of 3.82 per cent.

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Delaware & Hudson reports for the year ending December 31, 1905:

	1905.	1904.
Gross earnings	$37,321,629	$34,805,113
Net	7,695,923	7,452,479
Interest, rents, etc.	5,016,328	2,992,957
Surplus	4,679,595	4,452,322

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Bankers in charge of the combination of the New York traction companies are confident that the expiration of the time for the deposit of the present companies' securities, which was extended by the organization committee to the close of business yesterday, will find nearly or quite 80 per cent of the $52,000,000 Metropolitan street railway stock deposited under the plan. In the first official statement describing the merger it was stated that the Belmont-Ryan interests proposed to acquire not less than two-thirds of the stock of the Metropolitan street railway, and the Interborough companies and half of the stock of the Metropolitan Securities Company. The Morton Trust Company has already received 80 per cent of the stocks of the Interborough and Metropolitan Securities Companies and before the beginning of the present week had in hand upward of 85 per cent of the Metropolitan street railway stocks.

Pig Iron Certificates Market.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 1:45 o'clock call on the Produce Exchange:

	Regular. Bid.	Ask.	Foundry. Bid.	Ask.
March	15.75	16.50	15.00	16.75
April	15.75	16.50	15.00	16.75
May	16.00	....	16.25	....
June	16.00	....	....	....

Market steady.

Express Companies' Stocks.

Adams	247	United States	116
American	235	Wells-Fargo	283

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3¼ to 5 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thompson, manager bond department.

VERY DULL AND LIMITED IS MARKET TRADING

Lack of Interest Manifested and Nothing Stimulates Action in Spite of Developments.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, March 16.—The Herald this (Saturday) morning says: The stock market of yesterday was little more than a continuation of the preceding day's session. The market was dull and unequal throughout, with some specific points of weakness in the early trading and an improving tendency at the close. Aside from a little liquidation, which made itself more conspicuous in Consolidated Gas than elsewhere, dealings were highly professional. Speculative sentiment, while raised, continued depressed, more as a result of general sentimental conditions arising from old matters than to any new developments. The volume of business was limited, with activity very poorly distributed throughout the list.

Commission houses, practically without exception, complained of the lack of public interest in the market, and most of them were frank enough to admit that they were too uncertain themselves on the market to suggest a course of operation for their customers. The speculative rank and file in the offices were more given over to games of cards, dice, matching coins and the like, than to watching the tape.

The professional traders, while bearishly inclined, were not very aggressive in the market, with the exception of the speculations in Missouri Pacific. Speculative traditions are all against selling in a dull market, and bear traders, on their failure to dislodge much Missouri Pacific, were forced to cover their short contracts. Much of the late recovery was due to this.

It was a day practically barren of news, as speculative Wall street interprets that term. In other words, nothing that did not occur in the way of news was effective in stimulating action one way or another, or to change sentiment which is depressed or uncertain, as a result of coal strike possibilities, radicalism and the prevailing hostility to corporations. Yet there were some highly interesting developments for all that, such as a record breaking government trade report for February and a most satisfactory annual report of the United States Steel Corporation. Upon other occasions these might have been expected to have a stimulating effect, but they did not do so yesterday is strongly illustrative of prevailing sentiment.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Samuel Newhouse has purchased from D. H. Peery a control in the Montgomery Mountain Mining Company. The price was not made public, though it is believed to have approximated $250,000, together with an agreement to thoroughly develop the property. The property adjoins the famous Montgomery-Shoshone and Potaris, the control of which passed to Charles M. Schwab and associates a few weeks ago, and which, with previous holdings of the Schwab syndicate, were made the basis of the Montgomery-Shoshone Consolidated Company immediately afterward. Morris J. Johnson, chief engineer and expert on the Newhouse staff, made the examination upon which the purchase by his chief was made within an hour after its submission. A large compressor plant, assay office and buildings for the accommodation of the mine force are to be placed on the property at once and Engineer Johnson gives his assurance that during the year he will make a bonanza producing mine of the proposition. He reports that the famous Shoshone ledge runs through Montgomery mountain ground for a distance of not less than 1,000 feet.

W. J. Black & Co. received the following telegram from Goldfield: In tunnel on Union claim new vein; ore $9.80. Timbering shaft in Jackass. Great Bend quoted at 74 to 75.

BUTTE, MONT., March 16.—The cross-cut on the 2,400-foot level of Anaconda has penetrated the big vein 20 feet and the whole distance is in rich ore, fully as rich as on the 2,200-foot level and entirely up to expectations.

The following mail advices have just been received from Philip H. Moore, supervising engineer of the Micmac gold mines: "The development work is showing about three feet of good lead on the 300-foot level east and on the 200-foot level west. There is about two feet of first-class ore on the foot of the drift. On the 400-foot level west we have run into about four feet or ore, probably the biggest strike ever found in this mine to date. On the 500-foot level west the ore is about 2½ feet wide and carries higher values than the ore did on the surface, running one ounce to the ton. There is now a solid block of ore between the 400 and 500-foot levels and the mine never looked as well as it does at present. We are installing a new 100-horse-power boiler in the west works and will be in shape to drive all the drifts and sink the shaft indefinitely hereafter. We are connecting the Leipsigate and Miesmo properties underground by a drift of 500 feet long to the east."

BOSTON, March 16.—The decline in Boston Consolidated is believed to be due to selling by the Guggenheims interest, possibly as an object lesson. American Smelting & Refining interests say that any request for a renewal of negotiations to consolidate the Boston Consolidated and Utah Copper Companies must come from Mr. Newhouse. He takes the position that he would not be conserving stockholders' interests to agree to a consolidation of the Boston Consolidated with the Utah Copper Company except upon even terms, in view of the reports of the experts upon the two properties. Some people think the Nevada Consolidated Company may take the place of Boston Consolidated in the Guggenheim combination.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The London tin market was unchanged to 30s higher, with spot closing at £166 15s and futures at £165 10s. Locally, the market was steady and was also higher on the average, with spot quoted at $36 50@36 55. Copper was higher in the English market, with spot closing at £80 10s and futures at £75 10s. Locally, no change was reported, but the market is firm in tone. Lake is quoted at $15.50@15.75; electrolytic at $15.25@15.50, and casting at $15 00@15.25. Lead was quiet at $5 35@5 45 in the local market, but declined to £16 2s in London. Spelter unchanged at £25 in London and at $6 20@6 30 in the local market. Iron was unchanged to a little higher abroad, with standard foundry quoted at 55s 4d and Cleveland warrants at 48s 4½d. Locally, the market was reported quiet. No. 2 foundry northern is quoted at $15.25@15.75; No. 2 foundry northern at $17.75@18 85; No. 1 foundry southern at $18.25@18.75, and No. 2 foundry southern at $17.75@18.25.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open	High	Low.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.
Adventure	6⅝	6⅝	6½	6	6⅝
Ahmeek	....	....	....	82	85
Alloucz	38	38	38	37½	38½
Arcadian	....	....	....	4	4⅛
Atlantic	21½	21½	21¼	21¼	21⅜
Bingham	38¾	39	38¾	38	39
Boston Cons.	24	24½	23	23¾	24
Black Mountain	....	....	....	11¼	11½
Butte Exploration	....	....	....	4	4⅛
Butte & London	....	....	....	2⅝	2¾
Cal. & Hecla	687	687	685	685	690
Centennial	25	25	25	25	25½
Daly West	14½	14¾	14½	14	14⅝
East Butte	....	....	....	10¾	11
Elm River	....	....	....	2	2¼
Franklin	....	....	....	19½	19¾
Granby	12¾	12¾	12¼	12¼	12¾
Butte Coalition	....	....	....	35¾	36
Isle Royale	....	....	....	22½	23
Keweenaw	....	....	....	14	15
Mass	9	9	8¾	8½	9
Michigan	13½	13¾	13½	13½	13¾
Mitchell	....	....	....	12¾	12¾
Mohawk	58	58	58	57¾	58
Nevada Consols	19¾	19¾	19¼	19½	19¾
North Butte	81	81½	80½	80¾	81
Old Colony	....	....	....	100	105
Old Dominion	46¾	46¾	46¾	44¾	45½
Osceola	....	....	....	100	100¼
Parrot	37	37¼	37	37½	37¾
Phoenix	....	....	....	17¾	17¾
Quincy	91¾	91¾	91¾	91½	93
Range Cons.	79½	79½	79	79	79½
Raven	....	....	....	6¼	6⅝
Rhode Island	....	....	....	8¾	8¾
Tamarack	....	....	....	107¼	109
Trinity	11	11	10¾	10¾	10¾
United Copper	68¾	69	68½	66¾	67
U. S. preferred	....	....	....	100	107
Utah	....	....	....	61	61¾
Utah Apex	....	....	....	6½	7
Utah Copper	....	....	....	31	33
U. S. Mining	55¼	56¾	55¼	56¼	58½
Victoria	8¾	8¾	8½	8½	9
*Wolverine	143c	144c	143c	135	136
Winona	9	9	9	9¼	9¾

BISBEE MINING STOCKS.					
Cal. & Arizona	....	....	....	115	....
Cal. & Pgh.	....	....	....	....	28
Junction	....	....	....	....	25
L. S. & Pgh.	....	....	....	41	41½
Pgh. & Duluth	....	....	....	21	22
Shoshone Cons.	....	....	....	17½	20

*Ex-dividend.

BOSTON, March 16.—Market dull and featureless all day. North Butte weak off 3 points on short selling by local operators. United States Smelting and Refining a feature of strength, selling up to 56⅝. Winona advanced to 9¾ on reports of St. Mary's Canal Company taking active management and moving office to Boston with A. G. Stanwood, the president. The company now owns control of King Phillip property adjoining and a consolidation may be the final outcome. Look for a dull dragging market for next few days with little change in either direction and would buy better class of coppers on any break.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.25	Little Chief	.07½
Alice	3.70	Ontario	2.90
Breece	.35	Ophir	5.12½
Brunswick Con.	.52	Phoenix	.02
Comstock Tunnel	.26	Potosi	.12
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.20	Savage	.14
Horn Silver	2.00	Sierra Nevada	.30
Iron Silver	2.35	Small Hopes	.20
Leadville Con.	.05	Standard	3.25

*Ex-dividend.

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CALIFORNIA CELERY STILL REMAINS FIRM

Chicago Egg Market Shows an Advance of 1 Cent—Local Market Not Affected.

The inclement weather of the past few days has tended to stiffen the poultry and egg market. There were no changes in prices yesterday, because of the supply on hand, but if the weather continues to be bad for a few days longer an advance is looked for. Eggs still remain at 16 and 17 cents, but the indications are that they will go up a point or two in the next few days. The Chicago market and all the other outside markets already quote them at a cent higher than in Pittsburgh. Shipments from the south continue to have a bearish influence, but the market is stiffer than it appears on the surface. Cheese and butter are steady, with an advance looked for in both staples.

California celery shows a weakening tendency. A change from 5 to 10 cents has been made on dozens, while yard quotations on crates show a decline of 50 cents on the package. Not for some weeks past has there been such a demand for all kinds of produce with so few changes noticeable. A typographical error in The Gazette this morning noted a fall in California celery of 100 per cent. The figures quoted were for Florida celery. California celery remains remarkably firm.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 1 car oats, 1 car straw and 1 car feed. Baltimore & Ohio, 3 cars hay. There were no receipts over the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie.

The market continues firm and active, but arrivals are scanty and not equal to the demand. While there were no changes in quotations yesterday, receipts were quickly disposed of at market figures. A further advance is not improbable.

No. 1 timothy	$13.25@13.50
No. 2	$11.75@12.25
No. 1 clover	$8.50@9.00
No. 2 clover	$7.75@8.25
No. 1 mixed	$9.50@10.00
No. 2 mixed	$8.75@9.25
Straw, oat	$6.50@7.00
No. 1 wheat	$6.50@7.00
do rye	$8.50@8.75
No. 2 white oats	35½@35¾c
No. 3 white oats	34¾@35c
No. 4 oats	33¼@33¾c
No. 1 middlings	$21.50@22.00
No. 2 middlings	$21.25@21.75
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$20.00@20.50
Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill	80@83c
Corn—New yellow shelled	46@48½c
New high mixed ear	49@49¼c
New yellow ear	50@50½c
No. 2 Michigan rye	72@73c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.00
do pie gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C	$1.90@2.05
do California, F. F	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20
do standard	$1.10@1.25
Cherries, California, white	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.25@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	65@70c
do 3-lb	90@95c
Stringless beans	$1.10@1.60
Peas, marrowfat	80@90c
do early June	75@90c
do soaked	55@65c
Plums, California	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., sal. cans	$2.50@2.75
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.05@1.25
do standard	$1.00@1.05
do gal.	$2.45
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.10@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce	75@95c
Salmon, red	95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	90c@$1.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.81@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and tomato beef, 2-lb cans	$2.20@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.30
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$2.80@3.00
do mustards, ¼s	$2.50
do French	$6.50@18.50

PROVISIONS.

Hams, 18 lbs and up	11¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	11¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	11¾c
10 lbs and under	12c
Skinned	12¾c
Boneless rolled	13½c
California	9¼c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	9½c
do skinned	10c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	12¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11¾c
do back strips	11½c
do cleaners, 8 to 10 lbs	10¾c
do under 16 lbs	10¾c
Lard, pure, tierces	8¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	12c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	11½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	9¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	10½c
do under 16 lbs	9¾c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	10¼c

NUTS.

New California walnuts	17c
Chestnuts, Italian	7@8c
Hickory nuts, bu	$1.75@2.00
Walnuts, bu	50@75c
English walnuts, lb	12@13c
Butternuts	$1.25@1.50
Hazelnuts, lb	11@12c
Almonds, lb	14@15c
Pecans, lb	11@12c
Shellbarks	$2.00@2.25

GROCERIES.

Flour.

Fancy spg. Minn. pat	$4.45@4.50
Kansas pat	$4.55@4.60
Fancy winter patent	$4.25@4.40
Rye	$2.90@3.85
Buckwheat	$2.40@3.60
Graham, 10-lb bags	$3.25@3.45
Cornmeal, bags	$2.10@2.20
Rolled oats, bbl	$5.20
do kegs	$2.75

Roasted Coffee.

Rio	12@15¼c
Santos	23½@24½c
Maracaibo	16@16½c
Peaberry	15¼@19c
Golden Rio	15¼c
Caracas	20@21½c
Standard, pkgs	14.55c
High grade	13½@19½c

Molasses, fancy, refined | 25@30c
do choice | 31@34c
do open kettle | 37@39c
do 2-lb | 35c
do 3-lb | $1.35@1.65
Fancy syrup | 28@30c
Maple sugar, gal | $1.00
Sug. and cane | 21@23c
2-lb cans, doz | 80c
2½-lb cans, doz | 95c
5-lb cans, doz | $1.70
10-lb cans, doz | $3.40
Maple, gal | 75c@$1.00
Sugar, stan. gran | 4.70c
do bags | 4.70c
do 2-lb carton | 4.85c
do 5-lb bags | 4.85c
do pow'd xxxx | 4.85c
do stand. pow'd | 4.85c
do cut loaf block | 4.95c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes	65@70c
New potatoes, bbls	$5.00@6.00
do bu	$1.75@2.00
Sweet potatoes, Jersey, fancy, bbl	$3.00@3.25
Jersey sweets, crate	90c@$1.00
do medium, bbl	$1.75@2.00
do fancy, hamper	$1.00@1.10
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu	60@65c
do bbls	$1.60@1.75
Silver skins, bbls	$3.50@4.00
do bu	$1.50@1.75
Valencia, crates	$3.50@4.00
do Spanish, crates	$1.50@1.60
do green	15@20c
Cabbage, Florida, new crates	$2.25@2.50
do G. S., bbls	$2.25@2.50
do pound	2¼@2½c
do Savoy, bbls	$1.00@1.25
Green onions, doz	20@25c
Onion sets, bu	$2.00@3.00
Ky. and O	$2.00@3.00
do Erie	$3.50@3.75
Green peppers, crate	$3.00@3.50
California celery, crate	$6.50@7.00
do doz	85@90c
Florida celery, crates	$3.50@3.75
do doz	75@90c
Endive, bbl	$5.50@6.00
Escarall	$4.50@5.00
Lettuce, bskt	40@50c
Head lettuce, bbl	$8.00@12.00
do hampers	$3.00@4.00
Spinach, bskt	60@75c
do bbls	$1.75@2.00
Spring spinach, doz	50@65c
Asparagus, Cal., bunches	50@75c
do doz	$6.00@9.00
Rutabagas, bbls	$1.00@1.15
Kale, bbl	75@$1.00
Cranberries, box	$4.75@5.00
Eggplant, crt	$3.00@3.50
Garlic, lb	8@10c
Watercress, doz	30@40c
Cauliflower, Cal., crates	$3.00@3.50
Carrots, bbls	$1.75@2.00
Cucumbers, Boston, doz	$2.00@2.25
Turnips, bbl	$1.50@1.75
do bu	50@60c
Beets, bbl	$2.25@2.50
New beets, doz	35@40c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Mint, doz	50@65c
Parsley, doz	35@40c
Parsnips, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Horseradish	$5.50@6.00
Brussels sprouts, qt	15@18c
Radishes, doz	25@50c
Shallots	50@65c
Strawberries, qt	40@50c
Rhubarb, doz	50@60c
Green beans, bu	$5.00@6.00

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy	$6.00@6.50
Other fancy varieties	$5.25@5.50
do choice	$3.75@4.25
do California, box	$2.00@3.25
Lemons, Messinas, fancy	$3.00@3.50
do choice	$2.50@2.75
Oranges, Florida	$4.00@4.50
California seedlings	$2.25@3.00
Navel	$3.00@3.50
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.25@3.50
do doz	45@50c
Bananas, 1sts	$1.50@2.30
do 2nds	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes	$4.00@4.50
Red Spanish	$4.00@4.50
Limes, per 100	$2.00@2.50
Dates, stuffed	15c
Figs, California, box	90c@$1.00
Layer, lb	10@20c
Grapes, Malaga, bbl	$5.00@5.50
do fancy	$6.00@7.00
Grape fruit, Florida	$5.00@6.00
Tangerines, straps	$4.00@5.00

BUTTERS, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.

Prints	30@30½c
Tubs	29@29½c
Ohio creamery	28½@29c
Dairy	20@21c
Cooking	15@16c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new	14½@15c
Ohio full crm	14½@15c
do ¾ cream	13@13½c
do Flenics	15@15½c
do Philadelphia, cream, doz	90c@$1.00

Eggs.

Eggs, selected	16@17c
do southern	14@15c
do storage	12@13c

do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
do block	15@15½c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limburger, new	13½@14c
do 5-lb brick, new	14½@15c
do Neufchatel, large box	80c@$1.00
do Sheffordboxes	75c
Eggs, selected	16@17c
do southern	14@15c
do storage	12@13c

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs	12c
Light steers No. 1	11½c
Cows, all weights	11½c
Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs	9c
Calf, green salt, No. 2	10c
do No. 1	12c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens	14@15c
do roosters	10@10c
do turkeys	18@20c
do geese	10@11c
do ducks	15@16c
do pigeons, doz	$1.00@1.15
Dressed hens	17@18c
do springers	18@20c
do roosters	11@12c
do turkeys	25@27c
Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.70@2.00
do canvasback	$2.75@3.00
Imp. golden plover, doz	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25

FIELD SEEDS.

No. 1 red clover, recleaned, bu	$8.65
No. 1 white clover, lawn, bu	$9.00
No. 1 Alsike clover, bu	$8.50
Strictly prime timothy, bu	$1.55
Fancy Kentucky blue grass, bu	$1.70
Fancy orchard grass, bu	$1.75
Fancy red top, lawn, bu	$1.50
Recleaned Alfalfa	$8.00
Fancy lawn grass, lb	18c
Crimson clover, bu	$8.36
Southern German millet, bu	$1.25

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu	55@60c
Cabbage, G. S., ton	$35.00@38.00
Florida celery, crate	$3.00@3.25
Apples, Fancy, bbl	$6.00@6.25
Choice, bbl	$5.50@4.25
Onions, bbl	$1.25@1.35
do bu	40@50c
Cal. celery	$3.00@6.50

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs	8@9½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb	10@12½c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg	7½@7¾c
do fancy	11@12c
Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice	10@11½c
Cleaned currants, 1-lb pkgs	8½@9c
Prunes, Cal. lb	5@10c

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Friday, March 16, 1906.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady. Choice, 1,400 lbs., $5 25@5 50; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $5 10@5 25; tidy, $4 50 to 1,100 lbs., $4 65@5 00; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $4 10@4 60; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $3 50@4 00; good choice heifers, $4 00@4 25; common to fair heifers, $2 50@3 75; common to good fat cows, $2 00@4 00; common to good fat bulls, $3 00@4 25; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@60 00; common to fair, $20 00@30 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply fair and market steady. Prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs., $5 90@6 00; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $5 40; common, $2 50@3 50; lambs, $5 00@5 70; veal calves, $8 00@8 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 40 double-decks. Market steady. Prime heavy, $6 60; medium and heavy yorkers, $6 60@6 65; light yorkers, $6 40@6 50; pigs, $6 25@6 40; roughs, $5 00@5 70; stags, $3 50@4 25.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, March 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700 head, including 100 head southerns; market steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 40@6 00; fair to good, $4 25@5 30; western fed steers, $5 15@5 80; stockers and feeders, $3 75@4 50; southern steers, $3 50@4 60; southern cows, $2 25@4 00; native cows, $2 25@4 60; native heifers, $3 50@5 25; bulls, $3 00@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; market 5@10c higher; closed weak; top, $6 20; bulk of sales, $6 10@6 22½; heavy, $6 20@6 30; packers, $6 12½@6 27½; pigs and lights, $4 80@6 12½. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000 head; market 10c lower; muttons, $5 75@6 40; lambs, $5 75@6 85; range lambs, $5 60@6 00; ewes and yearlings, $4 50@5 85; western yearlings, $5 60@5 90; western fed sheep, $4 25@5 80; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 25.

CHICAGO, March 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000 head; market dull, prices steady; common to prime steers, $3 85@6 40; cows, $3 60@4 60; heifers, $2 75@5 25; bulls, $2 60@4 35; calves, $3 00@7 00. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; market 10c higher; choice to prime heavy, $6 35@6 45; medium to good heavy, $6 30@6 35; butchers' weights, $6 30@6 42½; good to choice heavy, mixed, $6 25@6 35; packing, $5 90@6 35. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; market, sheep strong; lambs dull; sheep, $4 25@6 25; yearlings, $5 50@6 40; lambs, $6 25@6 85.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,970 head; steers firm and 10c higher on light supply; bulls steady; fat cows firm, others slow to shade lower; all sold; steers, $5 25@5 80; oxen, $3 60@4 50; bulls, $3 50@4 25; cows, $1 90@4 20; Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle firm at 10¾@11¾c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef higher at 8½@8¾c; exports today, 779 head cattle; tomorrow, 818 head cattle and 500 head sheep, and 8,580 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 192 head; steady; veals, 5½@10c lb; tops, 14c; country dressed, 8@12c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,814 head; sheep steady; lambs 15c higher; one car unsold; sheep, $4 00@6 00; lambs, 07 20@7 40. Hogs—Receipts, 1,825 head; firm; state hogs, $6 70@6 80.

CINCINNATI, March 16.—Hogs active; butchers and shippers, $6 45@6 50; common, $6 15@6 25. Cattle steady; fair to good shoppers, $4 50@5 75; common, $2 25@3 10. Sheep steady at $5 20@5 75; lambs steady at $4 50@7 50.

Annual Report of New York Banks.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 16.—According to a statement issued today by the state banking department the total resources of the 191 state banks in this commonwealth on February 20, were $336,313,899. This total is the largest ever reported and is a gain of $14,196,984 from the showing made by the reports of state banks as of November 9, 1905.

DECREASED IMPORTS MAKE MARKET STRONG

May Delivery, Wheat and Provisions Are Strong, While Oats Are Lower.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, March 16.—Decreased shipments of flour from American ports imparted strength today to the local wheat market. At the close wheat for May delivery was up ½@¾c. Corn was up ½@¾c. Oats were ⅛@⅛c lower. Provisions were 2½@10c higher. The greatest strength in the wheat market was shown during the first hour when prices advanced 1c above yesterday's closing quotations. Official statistics which placed the total movement for the week from Argentina at 3,180,000 bushels compared with 4,290,000 bushels last week, caused a sharp bulge at Liverpool which was reflected in the local market. News of the day contained additional reasons for the active buying which followed the reports of higher prices at Liverpool. From the southwest and northwest came reports of heavy shipments of flour, and New York reported a good business in that commodity. An excellent demand for cash wheat was reported at all the leading grain centers of the United States. The market, however, lost much of its firmness near the middle of the day because of profit taking by local holders. During the latter part of the session the market was steady and the close was fairly firm. The May option opened ⅝@⅝c to ¾@¾c higher at 78¼c to 78½c, advanced to 78¾@78⅞c, and then declined to 78⅝c. The close was at 78⅝c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 158,000 bushels. Exports for the week, as shown by Bradstreets, were equal to 2,000,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 322,000 bushels, against 375,000 bushels one years ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 240 cars, against 425 cars last week and 269 cars one year ago.

The corn market was firm for the greater part of the day. Shorts who were influenced by the upturn in wheat and continued unfavorable weather for the movement of the crop covered actively. Firm cables and small local receipts also strengthened prices. Late in the day the market lost much of its firmness because of selling by several prominent commission houses. The close was steady. May opened ⅛@¼c to ¼@⅜c higher at 43¾c to 43⅞c, sold between 43¾@43⅞c and 43¾c, and closed at 43⅞c. Local receipts were 142 cars, with 11 cars of contract grade.

Oats were firm early in the day in sympathy with the strength of wheat and corn. Later the market weakened because of liberal profit taking by local traders. The close was easy. May opened ⅛c higher at 29¼@30c, sold between 29⅝@29¾c and 30¼c, and closed at 29⅜@29½c. Local receipts were 101 cars. Shorts and local packers were active bidders for provisions and this, together with an advance of 10@15c in price of live hogs held firm throughout the day. At the close May pork was up 10c at $15 92½. Lard was 1½@5c higher at $7 90. Ribs were up 2½@5c at $8 42½@8 45.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 6 cars; corn, 150 cars; oats, 90 cars; hogs, 12,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes'rday's Close.
WHEAT.					
May	78½	78⅞	78½	78⅝	77⅞
July	77¾	78⅝	77¾	78⅛	77¾
Sept.	78⅜	78⅛	77⅞	77⅞	77⅝
CORN.					
May	43¾	43⅞	43½	43⅝	43⅛
July	44¼	44⅜	43¾	43⅞	43¾
Sept.	44⅜	44½	44¼	44⅜	44⅛
OATS.					
May	30	30⅛	29¾	29⅞	29⅞
July	29¼	29¼	28¾	28⅞	28⅝
Sept.	28½	28⅝	28¼	28⅜	28⅜
MESS PORK.					
May	15 95	15 95	15 85	15 92½	15 82½
July	15 80	15 85	15 75	15 82½	15 77½
LARD.					
May	7 90	7 92½	7 85	7 90	7 87½
July	8 00	8 02½	8 00	8 00	7 97½
Sept.	8 12½	8 15	8 10	8 10	8 10
SHORT RIBS.					
May	8 45	8 47½	8 42½	8 45	8 40
July	8 50	8 50	8 45	8 47½	8 42½
Sept.	8 55	8 57½	8 55	8 57½	.....

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour—Firmer. No. 2 spring wheat, 77½@80½c; No. 3, 75@79c; No. 2 red, 81½@82¾c. No. 2 corn, 42½c; No. 2 yellow, 43c. No. 2 oats, 29¼@29¾c; No. 2 white, 32½c; No. 3 white, 32½c. No. 2 rye, 60@62½c. Good feeding barley, 37@37½c; fair to choice malting, 40@50c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 08; No. 1 northwestern, $1 14. Mess pork, per bbl., $15 80@15 85. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7 85. Short ribs sides (loose), $8 50@8 40; short clear sides (boxed), $8 60@8 70. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 28. Clover, contract grade, $13 65.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bu	25,900	28,600
Wheat, bu	9,000	58,000
Corn, bu	155,500	238,500
Oats, bu	139,700	283,700
Rye, bu	3,000	.....
Barley, bu	46,500	7,900

NEW YORK, March 17.—Flour—Receipts, 12,449 barrels; exports, 28,037 barrels; firm, with a fair trade. Rye flour quiet; choice to fancy, $3 95@4 20. Cornmeal firm. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 53,000 bushels; spot firm; No. 2 red, 85¼c elevator; No. 2 red, 87c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 97¾c f. o. b. afloat. A strong advance occurred in wheat today, based on bullish cables, lighter Argentina shipments, disturbing foreign political news and heavy covering. Part of the advance disappeared in the last hour through realizing sales, a decrease in Modern Miller report and favorable western crop news. Last prices were ⅛ to ⅜c net higher. May, 85 1-16@85 9-16c, closed 85¼c; July, 84¼@84⅝c, closed 84¾c; September, 82⅝@83c, closed 82¾c. Corn—Receipts, 55,750 bushels; exports, 56,382 bushels; spot firm; No. 2, 51c elevator and 48¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 48¼c; No. 2 white, 49¼c. Option market was generally firm and higher on better cables, light receipts, the wheat advance and covering, but eased off again in the late afternoon, closing net unchanged. May, 49⅜@50c, closed 49¾c; July, 49¾@50c, closed 49¾c; September, 50⅛@50¼c, closed 50⅜c. Oats—Receipts, 81,000 bushels; exports, 6,315 bushels; spot steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 34½@34¾c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 33@36c; clipped white, 38 to 40 pounds, 36½@38½c.

MILWAUKEE, March 16.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 79@80c; No. 2 northern, 75@78c; May, 78¾@78¾c asked. Rye—No. 1, 62@62½c. Barley—No. 2, 54@55c; sample, 40@50c. Corn—No. 3 cash, 41½@42c; May, 43⅛@43½c asked.

ST. LOUIS, March 16.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 68@68c; May, 75⅞c; No. 2 hard, 78@83½c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 42c; May, 41⅝c; July, 42¼c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 30c; May, 30@30½c; July, 28¾c; No. 2 white, 32½c.

LIVERPOOL, March 16.—Wheat, spot nominal; futures firm; March nominal; May, 6s 6¼d; December, 6s 5¼d. Corn, spot, American mixed, new, firm, 4s 1d; American mixed, old, quiet, 4s 7d; futures firm; March nominal; May, 4s 3d. Flops, in London (Pacific Coast), quiet, £2@3 10s.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16.—Wheat—Firm; contract grade March 82@82¼c. Corn—Firm, March 46⅞@48¾c. Oats—Firmer; No. 2 white natural, 36c; No. 2 do clipped, 36@36½c. Receipts—Flour, 1,700 barrels and 1,546,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, 900 bushels; corn, 1,700 bushels; oats, 3,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 900 bushels; corn, 800 bushels; oats, 103,000 bushels.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 16.—Close: Wheat—May, 76¾c; July, 76¾c; September, 77¾@77¾c; No. 1 hard, 77¼c; No. 2 northern, 76¾c. Flour unchanged. Bran, in bulk, $12 50@12 75.

DULUTH, March 16.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 78½c; No. 2 northern, 74¾c; May, 77⅝c; July, 79¼c; September, 78½c.

TOLEDO, March 16.—Cloverseed, cash and March, $7 95; April, $7 92; October, $6 25; timothy, $2 60; alsike, $8 25.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Cotton, spot steady, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 11.15c; middling gulf, 11.40c; sales, 650,000 bales.

LIVERPOOL, March 16.—Cotton, spot in fair demand; prices 1 point lower. American middling, fair, 6.27d; good middling, 5.86d; middling, 5.77d; low middling, 5.61d; good ordinary, 5.43d; ordinary, 5.47d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 8,000 bales American; receipts, 22,000 bales, including 21,500 bales American; futures opened steady and closed quiet and steady, American middling (g. g.), March, 5.55d; March and April, 5.53d; April and May, 5.49d; May and June, 5.48d; June and July, 5.46d; July and August, 5.46d; August and September, 5.43d; September and October, 5.31d; October and November, 5.26d; November and December, 5.25d; December and January, 5.25d; January and February, 5.47d.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	*10.19	10.25	10.20	10.23
March	10.45	10.48	10.34	10.36
May	10.40	10.56	10.38	10.50
July	10.54	10.68	10.50	10.60
August	10.52	10.60	10.50	10.59
October	10.11	10.26	10.08	10.15
November	10.12	10.12	10.12	10.16
December	†10.15	†10.26	10.13	10.20

*Bid. †Asked.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The drygoods market today was quiet in the gray goods end, but jobbers did a steady business. The fine goods lines gained strength because of a general scarcity and the ticking and denim lines were also strong. Reports of cotton purchases by foreign and domestic mills gave added strength to the general market.

Receipts and Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, March 16.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $1,126,781; government receipts from internal revenue, $504,627; customs, $757,559; miscellaneous, $28,125; expenditures, $1,690,000.

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Company, 410 Wood street, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Closing Bids
	Atch., T. & S. F.	93	93⅝	92⅜	93
100	Am. Cotton Oil	34½	34¼	34¼	34¼
3600	Am. Sugar Ref	135½	135⅝	137⅜	135⅞
800	Am. Locomotive	68¼	69	68½	69
800	Am. Car Fdry	41⅝	41⅞	41⅝	41⅝
28200	Amal. Copper	106⅞	107¼	106½	107¼
35700	Anaconda Copper	269	271¾	269	270
10500	Am. S. & R	158¼	159⅞	159	159⅝
	Am. Woolen	42⅞	43	42¾	43
700	D. & O	110¾	110¾	109⅞	110
19600	B. R. T	84⅜	86	84¼	84½
2800	Canadian Pacific	170¼	171	170⅜	171
900	Central Leather	44	44¾	44	44
200	Chi. & Gt. West	20⅜	20⅞	20⅜	20⅜
57300	Consol. Gas	144½	145½	142¾	143⅝
200	C., C., C. & St. L	99¾	99¾	98⅝	99⅜
8700	Ches. & Ohio	57	57⅞	57	57⅞
400	Chi. & North	222¾	223½	222¾	223½
13200	Col. Fuel & Iron	63½	63¾	62	63
1200	Corn Product	17	17⅛	17	17⅛
400	Col. Southern	32¼	33	32¼	33
400	Del., Lack & W	144¾	144¾	140¼	141¼
2500	Erie	42¼	42¾	42¼	42½
200	Do 1st pfd	77½	77⅝	77⅜	77⅜
200	Do 2d pfd	67	67	67	67
100	Gen. Electric	166½	166½	162½	166¼
400	Illinois Central	170½	171¼	170¼	171¼
400	Internat. Paper	21¾	21¾	21¾	21½
200	Do preferred	75	75	75	75
14400	L. & N	150	151¼	150	152
100	Manhattan	*157	157	157	157
128100	Missouri Pac	95	96¼	93	96
2800	M., K. & T. com	34¾	36	34¾	35¾
8400	Do preferred	71	72¾	71	72
6800	Metropolitan	113½	113¾	112¾	112¾
100	Do Securities	71	71½	70¾	70¾
3200	Mexican Central	24½	24¾	24¼	24¾
3700	National Lead	80½	81¼	80¼	80¾
1200	N. Y. Central	146	146¾	145½	146¾
19.0	N. Y., O. & W	50¼	50¼	49¾	50
850	North Am. Co	99	100	98¾	100
3800	Northern Pacific	217½	218½	217	218¾
5700	Peoples Gas	94¼	96	94½	95
200	Pressed Steel Car	52½	52¾	52¼	52¾
100	Do preferred	90	90	90	90
9700	Pa. R. R	137¾	138	137½	137⅝
	Railway Springs	56¾	56¾	56¾	56¾
50100	Reading	127⅞	128¾	127⅝	128¼
200	Do 1st pfd	.....	.....	.....	90
1200	Rock Island	25	26¼	25	25½
600	Republic Iron pfd	100¾	100¾	100¼	100¼
6950	Southern Pacific	66⅛	66⅞	65¾	66¼
24100	Southern Railway	41⅛	41⅝	40¾	41
700	Do preferred	101¼	101¼	101¼	101½
	St. Paul	175½	176	175¼	175⅝
600	St. L. & S. W	23¾	24¼	23¾	24¼
500	Do preferred	55½	56	55½	56
100	T. C. & Iron	150½	150½	150½	150½
2100	Texas & Pacific	23¾	24	23¾	23¾
500	T., St. L. & W	.....	.....	.....	23
100	Do preferred	.....	.....	.....	50
21200	U. S. Steel	40¾	40¾	40¼	40¾
4400	Do preferred	106½	106	105¾	106
	Do 2d 5% bonds	98½	98⅝	98⅜	98⅝
29100	Union Pacific	152¼	153⅜	152¼	152⅝
200	Do preferred	96	96	96	96
2100	U. S. Rubber	53½	53½	53¼	53½
100	Do preferred	.....	.....	.....	110
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	46	46	45¾	45¾
100	U. S. R. & Fons	84¼	84¼	84¼	84¼
400	Wabash	29¾	29¾	28½	29¾
2700	Do preferred	50	50¼	49¾	50
1300	Western Un. Tel	93	93	92¼	93
	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	26¾	26¾	25¾	25¾
500	Sloss	83½	84½	83	84¼
1200	Am. Dist. Corp	57¾	57½	57¼	57½
	Nickel Plate	68¾	69	68	69
	Great No. pfd	320	320¾	318	320

*Ex-dividend.

INACTIVE LIST.

200	Am. Steel Fdries	....	12½	12¾	12¾
100	Do preferred	....	46	46	46
200	Am. Ag'l Chem	....	28	28	28
100	Am. G. & T	....	9¾	9¾	9¾
400	Am. H. & L	....	7½	7½	7½
900	Do preferred	....	33¾	32¾	33
200	Am. Malt pfd	....	26½	26½	26½
300	Allis-Chalmers	....	21¾	21¾	21

CHEAP SEASHORE TRIPS THIS YEAR

Popular Excursions Are Doomed If 2-Cent Rate Is Made. Dates for Summer Season.

DUNKLE OF ERIE PAYS VISIT

Pittsburgh people will have the privilege of reaching Atlantic City at $10 for the round trip this summer. Similar privileges for next summer cannot be promised, however, for before that time it is expected that Pennsylvania's legislators will have passed a 2-cent passenger rate law, and railroad officers will not be inclined to continue the low-rate excursions from Pittsburgh to Atlantic City and other resorts. Definite dates have been arranged for Atlantic City excursions from Pittsburgh on the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio roads. Each road will have six dates. All excursions will be on Thursdays, as heretofore, and tickets will be sold at $10 for round trip in coaches and for $12 with privilege of paying extra regular Pullman fare and riding in sleeping or parlor cars. Next year the rate will probably be about $9 each way; that is, of course, providing Pennsylvania passes a 2-cent law.

Pennsylvania railroad dates are: June 21, July 5 and 19 and August 2, 16 and 30. Baltimore & Ohio dates are June 28, July 12 and 26, August 9 and 23 and September 6. Last year the Baltimore & Ohio ran the first excursion, this privilege being given to the Pennsylvania this season, as in 1904.

Among Railroaders on the Go.

H. O. Dunkle, general superintendent of the Erie's western lines, was here conferring with General Superintendent Yohe of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie regarding operations of the Pittsburgh-Cleveland line of these two roads. Mr. Dunkle laughed when the subject of a Pittsburgh line for the Erie was broached; he said he knew nothing of such a proposed line. He was accompanied from Pittsburgh by J. B. Dickson, chief engineer maintenance of way of the Baltimore & Ohio, who arrived here Thursday night with General Manager Fitzgerald.

Mr. Fitzgerald, accompanied by General Superintendent of Motive Power Muhlfeld, General Superintendent Flemm and Superintendent Duer, left for Baltimore at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, stopping at Glenwood, Connellsville, Cumberland and other points to examine into operating conditions.

General Manager Atterbury, who arrived from Philadelphia with General Superintendent Leighton, Superintendent of Motive Power Dolborow, General Superintendent of Transportation Trump and Superintendent of Passenger Transportation Sheaffer, all Pennsylvania railroad officers, Thursday night, left for the east yesterday forenoon, going over the West Penn division. Superintendent Morrow accompanied them to Blairsville intersection.

Vice Presidents McCrea and Wood of the Pennsylvania lines west have returned from New York, where they were in conference with President Newman and Vice Presidents Brown and Carstensen of the New York Central lines, and Robert Mather, chairman of the Rock Island's executive committee, regarding negotiations for purchasing the Walsh railroad properties in Illinois and Indiana. Interests in charge of Walsh affairs were present at this conference, but no definite action was taken. Propositions were made by both sides, the railroad side of the case to be presented to Walsh creditors.

Immense Docks for Ashtabula.

Pennsylvania and New York Central lines interests are proceeding with improvements of docks at Ashtabula, O., that will make that harbor second to none on Lake Erie. About $2,000,000 is being spent by Pennsylvania interests in improving the docks and harbor west of the mouth of Ashtabula river, while $3,000,000 is to be spent by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern east of this river as soon as government consent is secured. Lake Shore facilities—and, incidentally, Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, for the latter road's heavy lake traffic goes over Lake Shore tracks to Lake Erie—will be increased one half, about two years time to be required to complete the extensions. Plans were submitted to the government board of engineers Thursday at Cleveland by Chief Engineer Rockwell of the Lake Shore. A frontage of 1,900 feet and depth of 900 feet will be secured. Additional loading and unloading coal and ore machinery will also be installed.

Preparing New City Offices.

Plans have been completed by District Passenger Agent Watt of the Pennsylvania railroad for arrangements for new quarters for his own and the city ticket offices in the Hartley building at Fourth avenue and Smithfield street. These quarters will be occupied about April 1. Alterations will be made to accommodate all of the Pennsylvania passenger and ticket offices now occupying two floors at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street. Mr. Watt and his office force will have private offices with a new entrance to the building at No. 403 Smithfield street, the offices extending to the rear of the building. Ticket office space will be larger than at present, and in addition there will be space for ticket office clerical work.

New Offices on P. R. R.

Offices of general yardmaster and assistant general yardmaster have been created by Pennsylvania railroad officers for the Swissvale-Manor portion of the Pittsburgh division. Superintendent Long has issued a notice of the appointment of Harry F. Bateman and Jesse Varnall to the respective offices, with headquarters at Pitcairn. Duties of these offices have heretofore been filled by these men, but without the title.

No successor has been named for the office of assistant trainmaster, which was made vacant by the resignation of A. M. Kepple, Jr., Wednesday. Slates have been made, but it is probable that there will be a general shift in the operating force.

Boroughs to Arm Against Ft. Wayne.

Agitation has been started by Bellevue council for making Pennsylvania Company officers reopen public roadways from boroughs to the Ohio river between Allegheny and Sewickley. In its improvements and four-track extension in recent years these roadways are said to have been closed by the Ft. Wayne route. Avalon has already met the agitation and other boroughs will probably fall into line. Formerly some of these boroughs enjoyed river wharves, where coal and building material was delivered, with less cost for haulage than at present.

Further Work on Brilliant Branch.

A further step in placing Brilliant branch operations into better form has been taken by the Pennsylvania railroad. A system of interlocking switches and signals has been established and placed into service at "HO" block station, near Aspinwall, on the West Penn division end of this branch. Pennsylvania officers have realized for several months the immense value this branch has been in Pittsburgh terminal operations. It is one of the busiest pieces of Pennsylvania road in this district.

Hickernell in W. B. Stone's Place.

George R. Hickernell, former caller and extra crew dispatcher, has been acting crew dispatcher for the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie at McKees Rocks since the death of W. B. Stone. Mr. Hickernell was formerly a crew dispatcher and will probably receive the permanent appointment as successor to the late Mr. Stone. He has been in Pittsburgh & Lake Erie service at McKees Rocks about 12 years.

Railroad Notes.

Railroads are reported to have resorted to confiscating coal for emergency in case of a strike.

Special Officer Frank A. Loder of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie is confined to his home by a severe cold, brought on by exposure in the snow this week.

Brakeman V. A. Duff of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie passed an operation successfully in the Allegheny General hospital, and is reported to be improving nicely.

Conductor C. F. King of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie is spending a few days in Cleveland on business. Conductor William Duncan is off duty on account of sickness in his family.

Hal S. Ray, assistant general passenger agent of the Rock Island, left for his headquarters at St. Louis after a visit with District Passenger Agent Pentecost and other local traffic men.

Auditor Porter and other Wabash officers are investigating charges that the company's payroll has been padded in the maintenance department. Section Foreman Peter Davin was arrested Wednesday night and is alleged to have confessed that padding was done.

Orders have been placed for 10,000 cross-ties for the Lorain & Ashland road, and specifications have been made for 45,000 tons of rails, 10,000 tons of which are for delivery at an early date. This material will be used in constructing the new Ramsey road from Lorain to Wellington.

Turpentine and Rosin.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 16.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, GA., March 16.—Turpentine firm, 59½; sales, 24 barrels; receipts, 18 barrels; shipments, 311 barrels. Rosin quiet, sales 373 barrels; receipts 716 barrels; shipments 166 barrels; stock 36,274 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, $4 00; G, $4 05; H, $4 15; I, $4 25; K, $5 20; M, $5 45; N, $5 90; WG, $6 10; WW, $6 20.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 16.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; receipts, two casks. Rosin, nothing doing. Receipts, 234 casks. Tar firm, $1 80; receipts, 327 casks. Crude turpentine firm, $3 20@5 00; receipts, 25 casks.

A Sure Thing.

With great pleasure and confidence McCamp's eggs are opened at 165,000 breakfast tables. New store 413-415 Market st.

ALLEY PROPERTY SELLS FOR $62,500

Site for New Building Is Secured Next to the Public Safety Palace.

HILL PURCHASE OF $35,000

A deal that is interesting because of the peculiar location of the property and the developments that are expected to follow, is the sale of 61x60 feet at the southwest corner of Strawberry and Garland alleys, adjoining the public safety building in Sixth avenue. The property was sold by the Freehold Real Estate Company for the R. F. Herr estate, the buyer being a downtown business man. On the lot are six old brick houses, which will be razed soon to give place to a modern structure. The price was $62,500, $17.08 a square foot. This is the first deal of this magnitude made for a long time for an alley property which has no frontage on a main street, and it shows how valuable is every parcel of property in the downtown section, no matter how located.

Michael Loudman has sold to a local investor his property at 616 Wylie avenue, between Sixth avenue and Tunnel street, for $35,000. Mr. Loudman has owned and occupied the property for more than 30 years, having bought it for $4,500. It consists of 20x80 feet, improved with a two-story and mansard brick house and store and a stable in the rear. The price is at the rate of $1,750 a front foot.

Outer Fifth Avenue Purchase.

Ira Aronson has purchased through the Aronson-Friedman Company the property of Mrs. Tillie C. Werder at 1029 Fifth avenue, for $45,000. It has a frontage of 26 feet on the north side of the avenue, about 10 feet west of Washington street, and a depth of 107 feet to an alley. The three-story brick building on the lot is occupied by a clothing store, which has a one-year-lease on it at $2,500 a year. Mrs. Werder bought the property in 1900 from N. Kaiser for $26,000, so that the present sale shows a profit of $19,000. The price paid, $1,731 a front foot, is not considered excessive in view of the prominence of the neighborhood in a retail way, and the good buildings that have been erected nearby.

The Colonial Real Estate Company by its agent, R. J. Steenson, has sold for the McKnight heirs to Jacob Tannenbaum three brick houses on 44x58 feet, at the southeast corner of Franklin and Elm streets, for $12,000. The houses are rented for $825 a month and were bought for an investment.

A. C. Boldt, formerly a hotel keeper in Wylie avenue, has bought from L. Hufnagel 8-14 Sherman street, Eleventh ward, for $20,000. The lot measures 60x100 feet and is improved with four houses which are rented for $2,500 a year.

More Deals in Allegheny.

Two big deals for Allegheny property are likely to be closed any day. The larger one involves the D. H. Methany holdings, better known as the Gregg building, at the southwest corner of Federal and West Lacock streets, for which $160,000 has been offered. Two different brokerage firms are after the property, which is one of the most desirable business lots in Allegheny. One of the deals is being pushed in the interest of a North Side merchant. The Gregg building is the best structure, with one exception, in Federal street, below the Ft. Wayne railroad, being a four-story brick building with a modern brick store building with a stone front. For several years it has been occupied by the Samuel McKnight Hardware Company. The lot is 38x100 feet to an alley. A few months ago the property could have been bought for $125,000, but as it is in a location which will benefit greatly by the new Ft. Wayne station and the proposed free bridges, the price has advanced rapidly.

The other deal is for the John C. Wilson property at 915-919 Federal street, between Erie street and Montgomery avenue. The lot is 80x240 feet, extending back to West Diamond street, but the buildings are of little account. A fruit store and saloon, with an entrance to the livery stable in the rear, occupy the frontage. The price is said to be $75,000, which compares with $60,000, the price for the Munden property, 40x240x60 feet, near by, which was reported sold last week.

Through the office of A. D. Wilson, Joseph C. Cuneo has bought from Mrs. Bridget Grogan, 514 Sandusky street, near Park way, Allegheny, for $12,000. This is at the rate of over $400 a foot, as the lot is 29.5x116 feet. The residence is a rather old brick house of 10 rooms, adjoining the engine house. One year ago the property was on the market for $10,000, and the higher price paid now may be attributed directly to the Greater Pittsburgh agitation.

Big Company Is Buying Site.

The Pittsburgh Gage & Supply Company is negotiating for 35,000 square feet of property in Lawrenceville for $140,000, or $4 a square foot. The property is between the Pittsburgh Junction and the Allegheny Valley railroads, but the officials of the company yesterday declined to give the exact location until the deal is closed. The company now has its offices in Water street above Wood street and its works at Liberty avenue and Thirty-first street. On the property to be secured it proposes to build a big warehouse and shops to accommodate its entire business. William L. Rodgers is president and Joseph L. Rodgers secretary of the concern.

C. G. Mitchell has sold to C. F. Beal an 11-room reception hall, brick house on 37x160 feet on the south side of Jackson street, near Hebberton avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $10,000. The purchaser bought for a home. Mr. Mitchell also leased for the Hanan Shoe Company to the Theodore F. Bentel Company, Limited, dealers in phonographs, the second and third floors of the building at 435-437 Wood street for a term of years at $14,400. The Bentel Company will make extensive alterations and open the place April 1 with one of the largest phonograph parlors in the country.

Morris Stept has bought from Ida Gefsky two brick houses on 20x36 feet on the south side of Center avenue, near Miller street, for $14,000. The seller also bought from Leonard Weaver two brick stores and houses on 21x88 feet in Center avenue, near Crawford street, Eighth ward, for $14,000.

Boggs & Buhl Plan Costly Building.

Boggs & Buhl are preparing to build a big storage and operating plant at Park way and West Diamond street in the rear of their big Allegheny stores. The proposed buildings will have no superior in either city and will contain all the machinery and manufacturing departments of the great establishment. The dynamo and motor plants, which are now in the basement of the store, will be moved to the new building, as will be the quarters of the carpenters, machinists, electricians, packers and shippers. Commodious quarters will also be provided for the milliners now employed in making ordered goods. The space thus vacated is already badly needed, as every department of Boggs & Buhl's store is now crowded. The new building will be a very substantial structure, handsomely finished.

The Merchants' Land Company is taking bids on 10 eight-room, brick-veneered houses to be built on 30-foot lots in Dunlap place, Fifteenth ward, Allegheny. They will cost about $5,000 each and will be finished before fall. Thirty-one houses have been built on the plan since it was opened two years ago and five more are planned for early spring building by individuals.

The Southern Country club is the name of a new organization which has bought the Claus farm near Carnegie borough, as the site for a $20,000 club house. The organization has 25 members from among the business men of the South Side and the following officers: President, William Kaiser; secretary, William McGarey; treasurer, Frank Klump.

Oakland: A. O. Detchon sold for Agnes Strubic to Stella McLaughlin a seven-room brick house on 20x80 feet in Kennett square, near Craft avenue, Fourteenth ward, for $5,000.

Oneida street: The Commonwealth Real Estate Company sold for Charles H. Friend to John S. Sevens 61x120 feet, with a frame house at 19 Oneida street, Thirty-second ward, for $3,000.

Lincoln avenue: The East End Savings and Trust Company sold for F. G. Beil to C. A. Zinkand 50x115 feet on the west side of Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,100 as the site for two frame houses.

Ben Avon: Henry W. Armstrong sold for Emma Wentz to Charles H. Fenderich 50x150 feet on the northwest corner of Brighton road and Hilands avenue, Ben Avon, for $2,000.

Locust street: The Aronson Realty Company reports the sale for the Kennedy heirs to J. Comensky of 1505 Locust street, near Millerberger street, Fourteenth ward, two brick houses on 18x129 feet, for $5,600.

Bellevue: The Real Estate Savings and Trust Company sold for W. R. Johnston to Ida B. F. Key a small house in Bellevue for $950.

East End: James W. Drape & Co. report having placed these mortgages: $6,000 on a Twenty-first ward residence, $3,550 on a house in Sterrett street, $3,000 on a Carnegie house, $2,000 on a property in Blackadore avenue, $4,500 on a residence property at Crafton and $15,000 on McKeesport properties, all at 6 per cent.

East End Company Changes Name.

The Liberty Real Estate Trust Company has changed its name to the Liberty Trust Company. It is now in very handsome quarters at Penn and Center avenues, East Liberty, and has added a banking department to its large trust business.

Mt. Washington: Charles W. Cook, ticket agent of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company, has sold to J. D. Easter, secretary of the Mt. Washington Savings & Trust Company, a frame house on 30x100 feet on the south side of Bigham street, Mt. Washington, for $6,500.

Madison avenue: The Commonwealth Real Estate Company sold for Samuel A. Parr to William M. Birch an improved lot, 24x130 feet, on the southeast side of Madison avenue, near Clarissa street, Thirteenth ward, for $4,000.

Lorenz avenue: Henry L. Chapman sold to William Sloan an improved lot, 25x90 feet, on the east side of Lorenz avenue, near Mary street, Fortieth ward, for $1,200.

Kelly street: Esther Brandt sold to Dora C. Williams an improved lot, 40x137 feet, on the south side of Kelly street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $3,000.

Meadow street: William P. Graff sold to Mrs. Catharine Hedges an improved lot, 26x100 feet, on the south side of Meadow street, Twenty-first ward, for $4,750.

Idlewild street: Eric W. Olson sold to Mollie A. H. Burton an improved lot, 25x100 feet, on the south side of Idlewild street, Twenty-first ward, for $5,800.

C. W. ALLISON.

Mr. Allison had a long business training in Pittsburgh before he began to handle real estate 15 months ago at 617 Homewood avenue, East End. Since that time he has built up a large trade in sales, rents and mortgages, and is extending his operations to the suburbs.

SPRING TRADE IS DELAYED BY STORM

Business Shows No Signs of Hesitation and Fear of Coal Strike Is Passing.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, March 16.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: The widespread winter storm has delayed the opening of spring trade at retail, causing some complaint of bad roads and interruption to personal buying at leading jobbing centers. On the other hand, the benefits of accompanying heavy snows or rains to the crops probably far outweigh the damage due to this cause or injury caused to small fruit and truck interests by the freezing weather. Wholesale trade and industry show no signs of hesitation and even the building trades have given little heed to the temporary weather setback, in view of the immense business for spring and summer offering. The coal strike situation is still a flaw in the situation, but signs of conflict being localized are seen and a general suspension of all work is scouted.

Jobbing trade at leading centers is large and reorders for spring delivery are already reported at western cities; railway earnings for February and the first half of March break all records for this season, collections are passed as fair to good, export trade is of a large midwinter volume, and there are signs that lower prices of cereals have found response in improved foreign buying. Additional favorable features are reports of improvement in the flour trade, of heavy sales of leather for home and foreign consumption, and of higher prices for wool. The iron and steel mills are busily employed, and while new business is smaller in volume, there is a marked reduction of strength to this as to other metals, such as copper. Prices generally show strength; cereals are certainly firmer, but cotton is lower than a week ago, and the vagaries of the raw material affect some lines of goods; this, however, for far future delivery. Altogether, there is everything to indicate that the spring trade, present and prospective, will break all past years' records.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending March 15 number 187, against 217 last week, 186 in the like week of 1905, 183 in 1904, 194 in 1903 and 197 in 1902. In Canada for the week they number 23, as against 34 last week and 22 in this week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending March 15 are 2,010,237 bushels, against 2,562,362 last week, 856,742 this week last year, 2,656,124 in 1904 and 2,385,508 in 1903. From July 1 to date the exports are 99,152,782 bushels, against 92,509,111 last year, 112,380,489 in 1904 and 150,475,528 in 1903. Corn exports for the week are 2,235,282 bushels, against 2,894,445 last week, 3,841,411 a year ago, 1,873,280 in 1904 and 3,072,988 in 1903. From July 1 to date the exports of corn are 89,182,493 bushels, against 52,617,376 in 1905, 42,549,280 in 1904 and 40,821,372 in 1903.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say: Wholesale conditions are maintained in commercial channels, the tenor of most reports being favorable, and compared with little anxiety is felt regarding the labor situation. New projects are constantly appearing, calling for much capital and giving employment to many wage-earners. Several scales have been signed that provide for higher wages after this month, and the general prosperity of the winter is believed to assure a very large retail trade in spring wearing apparel. Jobbing houses have been enabled to make shipments with unusual promptness, owing to the ample railway facilities and few freight blockades that resulted from an exceptionally mild winter. Some backward retail trade in overshoes and kindred lines was made up by more seasonable weather in many sections of the country during the past week.

Manufacturing returns from the leading industries continue favorable, the weeks's feature being record-breaking sales of leather, while close was inactive, not unchanged to 10 points higher. Sales were reported of 36,000 lots, including May at 5.85c; July, 7.27@5c; September, 7.15@7.20c; December, 7.45c; February, 7.55c. Spot Rio steady; mild quiet. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining, 3½; 3-16c; centrifugal, 96 degrees test, 3 17-32@3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2½c; refined firm.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, March 16.—Butter steady, unchanged; receipts, 5,363 packages. Cheese steady, unchanged; receipts, 1,322 packages. Eggs firm; receipts, 157 cases. State, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected, white, 21@22c; do choice, 19@20c; do mixed extra, 17@17½c; western firsts, 16c; do seconds, 15½c; southerns, 13½@15½c.

CHICAGO, March 16.—Butter steady; creamery, 16@26½c; dairies, 15@23c. Eggs firm at mark, cases included, 13½c; firsts, 13½c; prime firsts, 14½c; extras, 16c. Cheese steady, 11¾@13c.

PHILADELPHIA, March 16.—Butter steady; extra western creamery, 29c; do nearby prints, 32c. Eggs easier; nearby fresh, 15½c at mark; western fresh, 13½c at mark. Cheese steady. New York full creams, fancy, 14c; do choice, 13½@13¾c; do fair to good, 13½c.

The Whisky Market.

CINCINNATI, March 16.—Whisky, $1 28.

BANK CLEARINGS.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended March 15, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year.

	Amount.	Per Cent. Inc.	Per Cent. Dec.
*New York	$1,763,726,159	16.5	
*Chicago	291,943,359	8.0	
*Boston	149,793,816		1.7
*Philadelphia	182,45 ,811	4.2	
*St. Louis	54,629,700		9.4
Pittsburgh	47,646,2001	10.7	
*San Francisco	45,879,611	32.8	
*Baltimore	27,254,709	6.4	
Cincinnati	22,973,200	4.2	
*Kansas City	24,142,180	5.4	
*New Orleans	18,140,597		3.2
*Minneapolis	16,462,709	2.9	
*Cleveland	14,486,072	2.4	
*Louisville	13,478,227	5.7	
Detroit	13,011,724	26.1	
*Los Angeles	12,854,134	21	
Omaha	10,706,769	23.1	
Columbus	4,398,900		4.0
*Toledo, Ohio	4,885,199	30.1	
Wheeling, W. Va.	1,694,407	10.1	
Youngstown	872,814		2.8
Akron	544,009		2.8
Canton, Ohio	434,850		42.8
Greensburg, Pa.	492,166	45.1	
Springfield, Ohio	330,982		15.4
Mansfield, Ohio	306,797		8.6
Total United States	$2,756,336,344		5.1
Outside New York	992,511,191	6.2	

CANADA.

Montreal	$ 20,656,854	19.8	.8
Toronto	82,295,105		
Total, Canada	$ 765,587,832	9.1	

*Balances paid in cash.

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